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RACE 8
Shun Fung
Honey Dew
Rasher
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RACE 9
Straight Flush
Merry Uncle
Exquisite Love
Outsider—Jericho.

RACE 10
Beckham
Rose Enme
Wodonga
Outsider—Strato-cruiser.

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Lin Fa
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Outsider—Copper.

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The Lioness
Killara
Crackerjack
Outsider—Goodwood.

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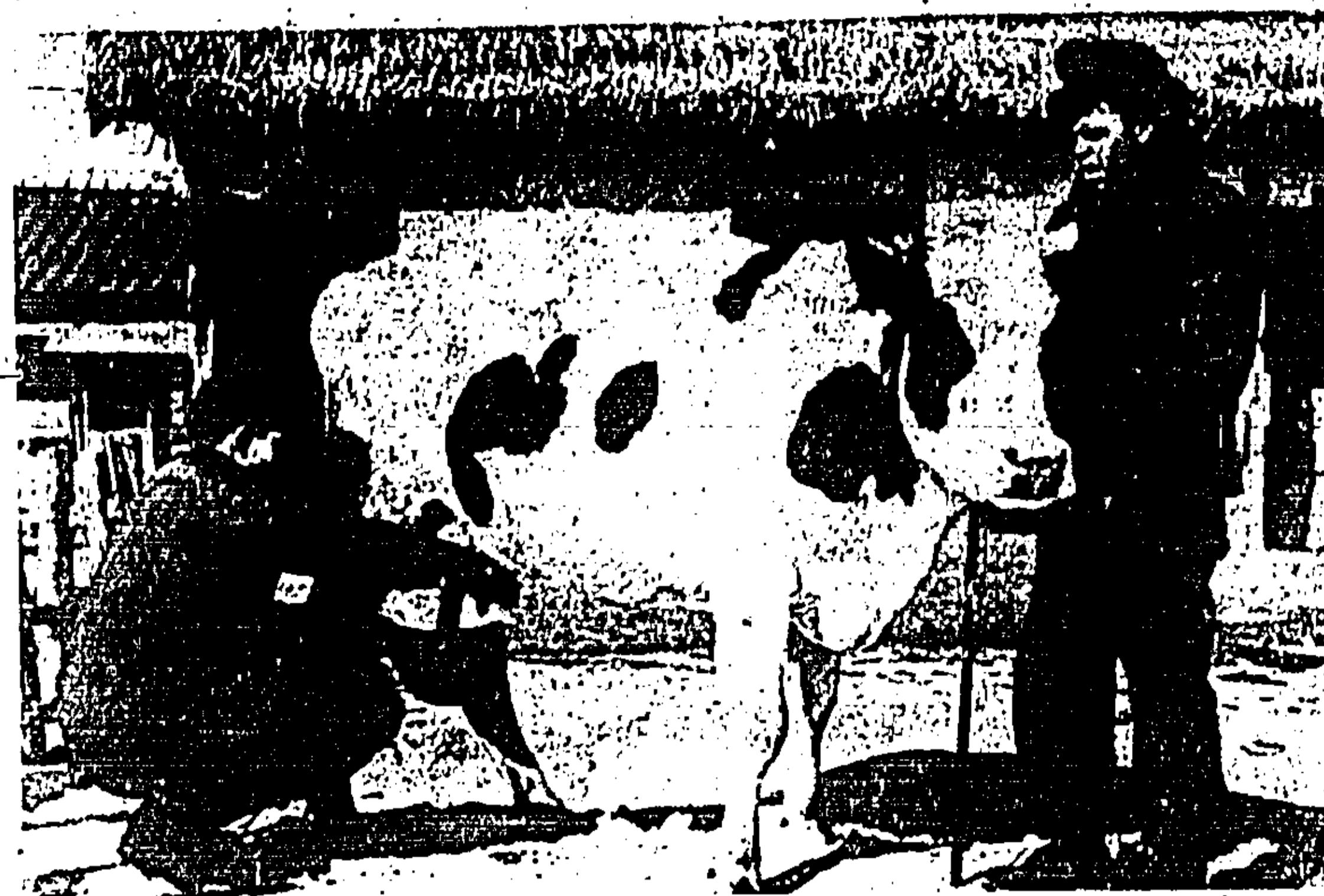
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Wodonga
Strato-cruiser
Beckham
Outsider—Dominion Day.

RACE 11
Huntmaster
Ben Lawers
Down
Outsider—Trade Wind.

Their Labour Was All In Vain



Railways Dispute Settled

MEN GET WAGE INCREASES

London, Feb. 23.

Railwaymen and the State-owned British Railways reached agreement tonight on wage claims barely six hours before a threatened nation-wide strike.

After day-long talks, the Railway Executive agreed to the men's demand for wage increases worth a total of about £12,000,000.

But strike calls were out for tonight at many key rail centres and it was not known whether the agreement had been reached in time to prevent widespread week-end stoppages over the British transport system.

In an effort to stop the strike movement the unions and Railway Executive agreed tonight to issue a joint manifesto appealing to the men for normal working immediately and for the "utmost support in the great tasks which lie ahead."

Earlier this week deadlock had been reached on a second offer of increases totalling £2,000,000.

The new wages will give an average increase to railway workers of seven and a half per cent.

The Railway Executive announced that it will not be able to bear the whole cost of the wage rises even with economies and greater efficiency expected from the men.

FARES TO GO UP

It will ask for authority to raise fares and freight rates.

The unions signed an agreement with the Railway Executive acknowledging the "imperative" need for eliminating waste of manpower and increasing efficiency.

This had been a condition of the earlier wage offers.

As the London agreement was announced 600 drivers and firemen at Sheffield and 250 near Manchester said that they would go ahead with a week-end strike whatever happened.

At other points in the English rail network more than 5,000 railwaymen were already on strike and more than 20,000 were "going slow".

The concession will affect some 450,000 workers but will mean higher travel costs in Britain and heavier transport costs for British industry.

The basic wage rates for railwaymen will now be 2s. 6d. per week in the provinces and 2s. 5s. 6d. in London. This is an increase of 10 shillings weekly over the rates applying before last September when lower paid men received a small rise.

Today's agreement back dated the new increases to the beginning of the year.—Reuter.

Fuchs Forfeits Citizenship

London, Feb. 23.
The Home Secretary has made an order depriving the atom spy, Dr Klaus Fuchs, of his British citizenship. On the ground of disloyalty, it was announced yesterday.

Fuchs, German until he became British, was sentenced last month to 14 years' imprisonment. A committee set up last December to advise the Home Secretary what action to take about his citizenship.

The Attorney General, Sir Harley Shawcross, said at the hearing that a revocation of Fuchs' naturalisation was considered not from the point of view of further punishment but in the public interest.—Reuter.

Pte. James R. Dial Jr. of Indiana of the 7th Cavalry Regiment (left) and PFC. Arden Lawrence of the 8th Engineer Battalion seen as they milk a cow that they found somewhere in Korea. They thought that they had a good find, but they were told afterwards by a Medical officer that they could not drink the milk as it was probably contaminated.—London Express

Another Avalanche Disaster

Milan, Feb. 23.

Rescue squads were digging today for a 70-year-old woman and a peasant of 40 believed killed by an avalanche which struck the village of Courthoud, in the Rhenen Valley, Northern Italy, about 25 miles southeast of Mont Blanc.

Avalanches also crashed into the nearby Grisanche Valley but no casualties were reported.

In the Bologna-Modena area of the Apennines, two big landslides were threatening several small villages whose inhabitants have been evacuated.

Smaller landslides were reported in the regions of Piacenza and Vicenza.

The one-week old floods in the Ferrara Province worsened today after the Reno River, swollen by recent heavy rains, burst its dykes, which were built to check its water.

More than 50 square miles of farmland were reported to be under water.—Reuter.

CONFESSES TO MURDER

Berlin, Feb. 23.
A car crash victim, Karl Hewitt, 66, lying on what he believed to be his death-bed, has confessed to a 30-year-old murder, an East Berlin newspaper reported today.

Hewitt, who lives in Thuringia, was injured in a motor accident. Then, he told the police that he killed an 18-year-old girl when trying to rape her—she fell and hit her head on a stone.

Her body was found in a lonely Thuringian forest at the time but the police found no trace of her killer. Now they have reopened the investigation.—Reuter.

"Technical" Defeat For Govt.

London, Feb. 23.
The British Labour Government, out-voted by 242 votes to 234 in the House of Commons today on a privately introduced bill, can retrieve the defeat as the bill has still to go through several stages.

The Government is expected to organise its supporters to ensure that it is not finally passed.

The bill's purpose is to extend the scope left to private enterprise in road haulage.

The Government wanted the bill killed because it would cancel part of the Act which nationalised road transport.

The Government's defeat was only technical because the bill had not officially been sponsored by the Conservative opposition.—Reuter.

The Canadians' flight began this morning when a patrol led by Lieutenant Rick Constance, of Lehighbridge, Alberta, came under fire from a machine-gun.

The Canadian patrol commander reported to his battalion commander: "The only casualty from that particular encounter was Constance himself, who was soaked to the skin when he fell into an icy stream."

Later, however, the battle became savage as the battalion moved forward into the assault.

An officer said this evening: "The Canadians are in good heart and are fighting well."

Another Canadian officer said: "We are holding our own quite nicely. The Chinese gave us a lot of small arms and machine-guns, and we used some mortars."

UN Forces Run Into Artillery Barrage

OPPOSITION BY REDS

STIFFENS

Tokyo, Feb. 23.
The defenders of the battered South Korean capital of Seoul today fired the heaviest Communist artillery barrage of the month-old United Nations offensive as the Americans pushed forward seven miles on the central Korean front.

United Nations forces captured the communications centre of Pyongchang, on the central sector, and advanced through mud and quagmires four miles, north beyond the town.

But in other parts of the rain-sodden front the Communist resistance to the Allied advance stiffened on the third day of "Operation Killer."

The Communists used Russian-type 122-millimetre howitzers and light and heavy mortars in a duel with American guns on the outskirts of Seoul today.

An American officer on the Han River said: "Though they fired more stuff at us than I have seen in a long time it was ineffective."

He said the Communist shells landed only in the general area of the American concentrations.

Communist opposition in the Hoengsung area was reported to have slowed down the United Nations advance early today and Staff Officers admitted that the momentum of the offensive had slackened.

Pyongchang was entered by an American tank and infantry combat team which met no resistance and pushed on to a point four miles north of the town.

This drive beyond Pyongchang spearheaded a general advance of up to 8,000 yards along a 15-mile section of the central front. Though deep mud slowed the advance, little Communist resistance was reported in this area.

Sea Furies and Fireflies from the British light aircraft carrier, Theseus, hit rail installations and equipment in and near the west coast port of Chinnampo.

The Army said the figure for Red Korean prisoners was reached by actual count.

The casualty estimate for the Chinese Communist forces does not include any prisoners of war. The number has been small but reports from Korea unofficially estimate the number at over 800.

Total American casualties announced through February 16 were 40,132. Up to date, casualty figures from non-American units comprising the United Nations forces are not available here.—Associated Press.

RAF Pilot Killed

Nicosia, Cyprus, Feb. 23.
A Royal Air Force pilot was killed when a jet Vampire fighter based on Nicosia crashed and burned yesterday near Morphou, northwest of Cyprus, airport sources stated today.

Eight Royal Air Force Vampire arrived last week to be stationed at Nicosia.—Reuter.

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Golden Star Hits Wharf

The Star Ferry's Golden Star, laden with people going to work, crashed into the side of the ferry wharf on the Hongkong side of the harbour this morning at about 8.40.

Although the incident caused considerable excitement, no one was injured and the Golden Star appeared to be undamaged. The ferry successfully maneuvered alongside and discharged the passengers.

Approach Made To Peking?

Lake Success, Feb. 23.
Diplomatic sources said today they believed that the United Nations Good Offices Committee on Korea had made an approach to the Chinese Government through the Swedish Minister in Peking.

Confirmation of the report could not be obtained from the Good Offices Committee itself, however, which was maintaining the strictest silence. Neither could United Nations officials confirm the report.

From India, Sweden is the only other non-Communist country with top-rank diplomatic representation in Peking.

The Good Offices Committee consists of Mr. Nasrullah Enzazan (Persia), Mr. Sven Grafstrom (Sweden), and Dr. Padilla Norvo (Mexico).

None of these three could be reached immediately for confirmation.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

Rain Prevents Test Cricket

Heavy overnight rain left the middle of the Melbourne cricket ground waterlogged and the two captains, Brown and Hassett, decided there could be no play before lunch today in the fifth Test match.

It was still drizzling when the captains made their inspection.

An announcement was made that another inspection would be carried out at 2 o'clock (12 noon HK Time), but the general impression was there would be no play today.

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A YEAR AGO, Linda was still in hospital, playing with simple toys that would exercise her swollen fingers.

THIS is the story of Linda Fox, one $7\frac{1}{2}$ million persons in the United States suffering from some form of rheumatic disease.

Recently, two months before her fifth birthday, Linda took her first steps. Uncertain, halting and a wobbly as a 13-month-old child, she walked into the arms of her father, a New York City fireman. Linda had passed another milestone in her slow, painful, but steady climb to health since becoming ill with rheumatoid arthritis soon after she was born.

Her parents noticed, when she was only a few weeks old, that her third and fourth fingers stuck out. They failed to bend with the other fingers when she tried to close her fist. Swellings developed in the middle joints of all her fingers. Not until a year later, however, was she brought into a metropolitan hospital in which there is one of only 140 arthritis clinics in America. Her hands, wrists and knees had swelled and stiffened so that she could not be touched without crying. She had an advanced case of the world's most prevalent disease.

Linda spent three years in the hospital. She was started on simple play exercises in bed. Later, occupational therapy employing assisted play and constructive exercise helped to strengthen her muscles, giving her a new interest in living and helping her to forget her sufferings. She was carried to the therapeutic pool for the underwater exercises so helpful for crippled bodies.

By the time she was four, Linda was able to go home, where her parents contrived different kinds of toys and games to exercise her fingers and wrists. Although Linda still returns to the hospital once a week for special treatment, she is beating the disease that knows no age.

There is an object lesson in the story of Linda. It emphasises the need for early treatment. Sixty to 70 percent of all arthritis patients can be restored to useful lives by the same "conservative" treatment that helped Linda, according to the Arthritis and Rheumatism Foundation.



Slowly erasing the crippling effects of arthritis, Linda now visits hospital once a week for treatment, spending most of time in pool. Hands are nearly normal, legs are regaining strength.



WORKING with a drill exercises Linda's hands, also causes elbows and shoulders to operate in co-ordinated movements.



THERAPY and a child's interest in making things are combined as Linda builds a doll's chest of drawers. Hammering increases strength and improves circulation.



SAWING a piece of soft wood, Linda needs to grasp the handle and the other end of the saw. The continuous push-and-pull motion helps build up her arm muscles.



WEAVING on a loom is good for the joints of Linda's feet, legs and hips. It also makes her move her hands, stretch legs.



AFTER MONTHS of treatment at home, joyous Linda Fox takes her first faltering steps alone—straight into the waiting arms of her proud father. The little girl now takes walking lessons daily.

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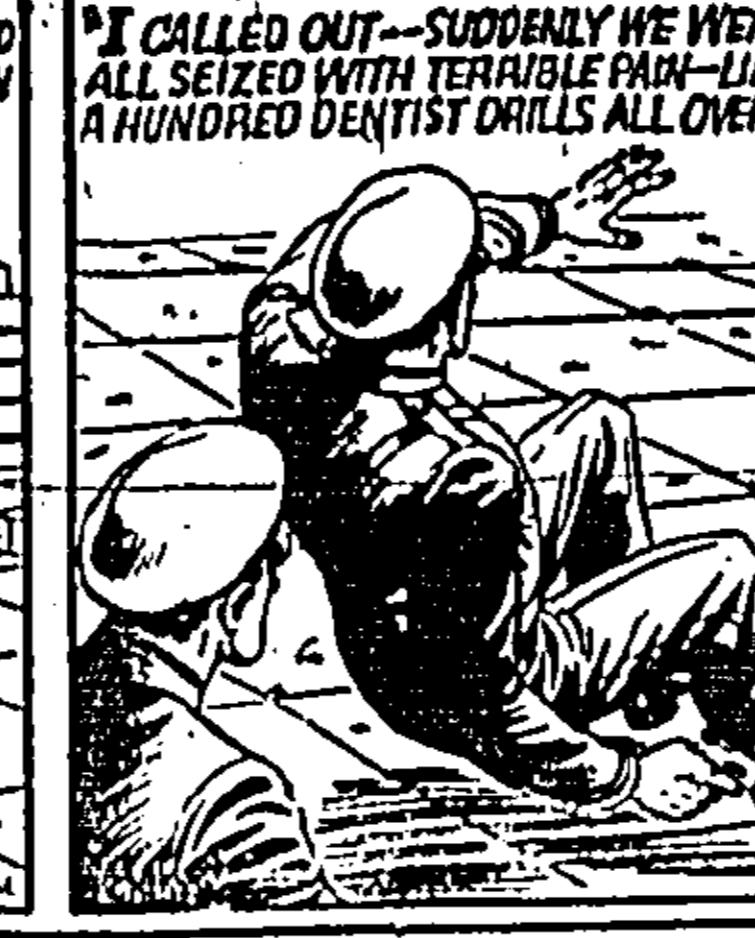
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GIRLS, GET INTO THE HABIT OF CHANGING THE COLOUR OF YOUR HAIR Says MELROSE GOWER

Hollywood beauties have a habit of changing the colour of their hair as frequently as they change their minds—and for many reasons.

Occasionally it's done to fit the character they're portraying in certain films. Some dye for their art because the new colour is more photogenic. And, of course, there are some who do it because it seems like a good idea at the time.

However, Irene Dunne is one star who has never altered the colour of her hair. Whenever a role requires a different shade, Irene always wears a wig, such as the long blonde hair she had as the Norwegian mother in "I Remember Mama."

As a sophisticated New York song writer who falls in love with a cowboy (Fred MacMurray, no less) in RKO Radio's "Never a Dull Moment," Miss Dunne is a red-haired woman that induces a second look from men.

Alexis Smith, for example, when she came to Hollywood, had to dye her hair red, for a role with Errol Flynn in a Warner Bros. picture, the flaming locks so affected her husband that he began taking her out more often. He also showered her with more flowers and candy than he had since their honeymoon. Male heads craned more often, too. Alexis reported, when she strolled the studio streets.

Redheads have poise

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Well, Alexis Smith is happy now because, in her latest picture, Universal-International's "Undercover Girl," she will be seen with her own, natural shade of hair.

Bette Davis has refused to tamper with her hair since she first came to Hollywood, bleached her locks to platinum and found that it didn't help her career a bit. Whenever a role requires a certain colour of hair, Bette covers her ash blonde hair with a wig, which she prefers to be red.

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Dunne's hair is cut stylishly short, but it's natural chestnut shade.

But what about the girls who dye their hair?

Take the case history of Alexis Smith, for example.

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picture, "The Story of a Divorce," this was accomplished through facial makeup and clever coiffuring and her hair remained ungrayed.

Brunette Grable

Blonde Betty Grable wears a black wig in the Creole musical number in 20th Century-Fox's "Call Me Mister." Patricia Neal used to bleach her hair but let it return to its natural warm brown shade for "Raton Pass." She has kept it that way for "Operation Pacific" and everybody agrees that it is much more becoming than the blonde worn by a wig.

"When I appeared on the lot as a blonde," Alexis says, "I chalked up a dozen whistles before I had walked a block and a half. But maybe it was that tight black dress I was wearing. I do know, though, that for every compliment I received, as a blonde, I got two as a blonde or redhead. This was very disconcerting because I like myself best as a blonde."

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Ginger Rogers, who is a natural blonde, has run the gamut of shades from pale blonde to reddish blonde during her career. Jane Russell, who will soon be seen in "His Kind of Woman," has never found it necessary to change the colour of her dark hair, though she wears a blonde wig in some sequences of "Montana Belle." So there you are. If anything has been proved, it must be that gentlemen prefer blonde, brunettes and redheads.

MOST INQUIRED ABOUT



After selecting Gloria Swanson the "Outstanding Personality of 1950," Celebrity Service, Inc., gave a party in her honour at the Stork Club in New York. Host Earl Blackwell and Tallulah Bankhead, the runner-up, pose with Miss Swanson who is starring on Broadway in "Twentieth Century." The honour was based on the number of inquiries received about her last year.

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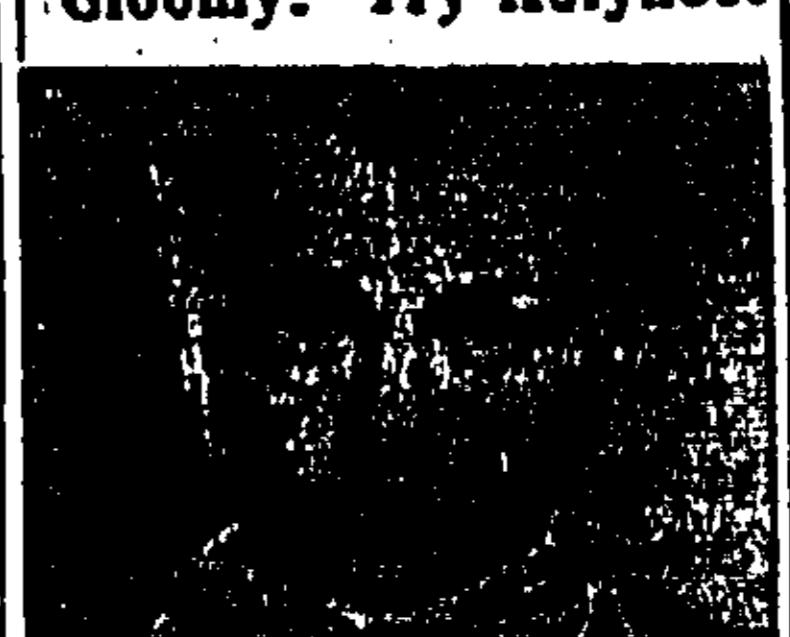
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When 36-year-old Alec Guinness begins rehearsals for his Festival appearance as Hamlet in the West End—the peak of his career to date—he may well be a rather tired man.

He should also be a fairly rich one—unless the tax people have been too demanding.

A few years ago Guinness was just emerging out of the small-part stage. Last Christmas, New York's critics, with a fine disregard of the Hollywood publicity machine, "picked him as the actor of the year.

Now this quiet-spoken public-shunning actor—who never looks the same in two roles running—is on the way to being Britain's big star of 1951.

To come

Still to come—after four films and a play in quick succession—is the Guinness middle-aged bank official in "The Lavender Hill Mob"—and the 20-year-old younger part he is now playing: a minor research chemist, with bottle-washing duties, in "The Man in the White Suit." He went from one role to the other without a day's interval.

I estimate that the small-part stage of a few years back has earned approximately £60,000 in the past 18 months from film alone. Soon he hopes to have the rest of this year free from the studios—to concentrate on Hamlet in London and New York.

It would be a pity to have too much Guinness, much as I admire his versatile work. And this star has reached that dangerous stage—which others have reached before him—when managers and producers would cleverly work him into a decline.

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So I am glad to hear from Tom Arnold that he is to present a new production of the play by Basil Dean in the West End shortly. Godfrey Tearle will play the pastry-cook who gets mixed up with the despotic court of Haroun Al Raschid.

The role, created by Henry Ainley.

Guinness should be a new and surprising experience for most audiences of today. It was first produced by Dean in 1923, with Dean's incidental music—eight years after the young author, James Elroy Flecker, had died.

There has been no production since then.

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How would you like to have to find £4,000,000—IN CASH?

A FASCINATING game of Fox and Geese is being played round the Treasury in Whitehall just now.

The fox is the Inland Revenue; the geese are the agents, men-of-business and lawyers of the house of Cavendish; their prize—the millions of pounds of death duties on the estate of the late Duke of Devonshire, head of that family, who died last November.

The duke owns perhaps the largest uncut emerald known. Unct is an interesting curio: cut a king's ransom. Its value then? A nice debating point.

The duke does not dispute that he will have to pay "every substantial duty." He will not fight that, "I cannot foresee any circumstances in which I am likely to go to law, but, he says, "I am negotiating with the Treasury over the value of the estate.

"It would, therefore, be most improper for me to quote any figures on the estate's value—and probably most misleading, too. Anyway, we have not" his Grace rarely permits himself a "haven"—"yet had time to gather all the information the Treasury has asked for."

How did this Cavendish family come by its great wealth? Though they pillaged the monasteries for Henry VIII, a woman gave them their real start in life.

Bess of Hardwick was "a woman of masculine understanding, a speculator, money-lender, farmer, coal and timber merchant; proud, furious, selfish, and unfeeling." An heiress, herself, she married four rich men. Each died shortly after she had persuaded him to leave her all his had.

She left her fortune to her favourite second son, who then bought the earldom of Devonshire—for £10,000, said the gossips.

Over the years the earls of Devonshire ploughed back their rents. They became richer and richer, they were promoted to a dukedom.

So the late duke—the tenth—might well laugh at the sensation when, to some butty compliments on his magnificent art collections, he replied that the only antiques he owned were the clothes he stood up in.

The Cavendishes, said the wits, were finished.

Say the duke's estate was £8,000,000 in mansions, farms, woods, jewels, pictures, and furniture. The duty at 80 percent would be £6,400,000, to be paid in cash.

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Two hours later the duke himself was dead—of a strained heart. He was only 55—and there were four months of the five years to run.

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ART COLLECTIONS? Only if the national collections, the British Museum or a university make an offer. If the duke sells to them, he escapes duty. If to anyone else this heirloom clause is cancelled and he pays full rates.

COMPTON PLACE, his house in Eastbourne which George V once rented? Probably not the house, but he may easily sell the large block of Eastbourne he owns, and in particular his lucrative water rights.

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BOLTON ABBEY—a great barracks or a palace in Yorkshire, where former dukes have entertained royalty? Family friends say it is the most likely of the big houses to go. Set in 20,000 acres, all "picturesque," the Government might buy it under the National Parks scheme.

THE 100,000 ACRES? Land now commands a ready market, and an inflated price. His Grace could sell a sizable chunk most profitably without much personal inconvenience.

A great name

OR will he sell Buxton? The

duke owns much of the spa

town in Derbyshire (pop. 10,000).

Though less valuable than his

Eastbourne property and not so

easy to sell as agricultural land,

the duke can have little personal

interest in it and it will probably be sold.

From being one of the richest men in the country, the duke will descend to being just a very rich man.

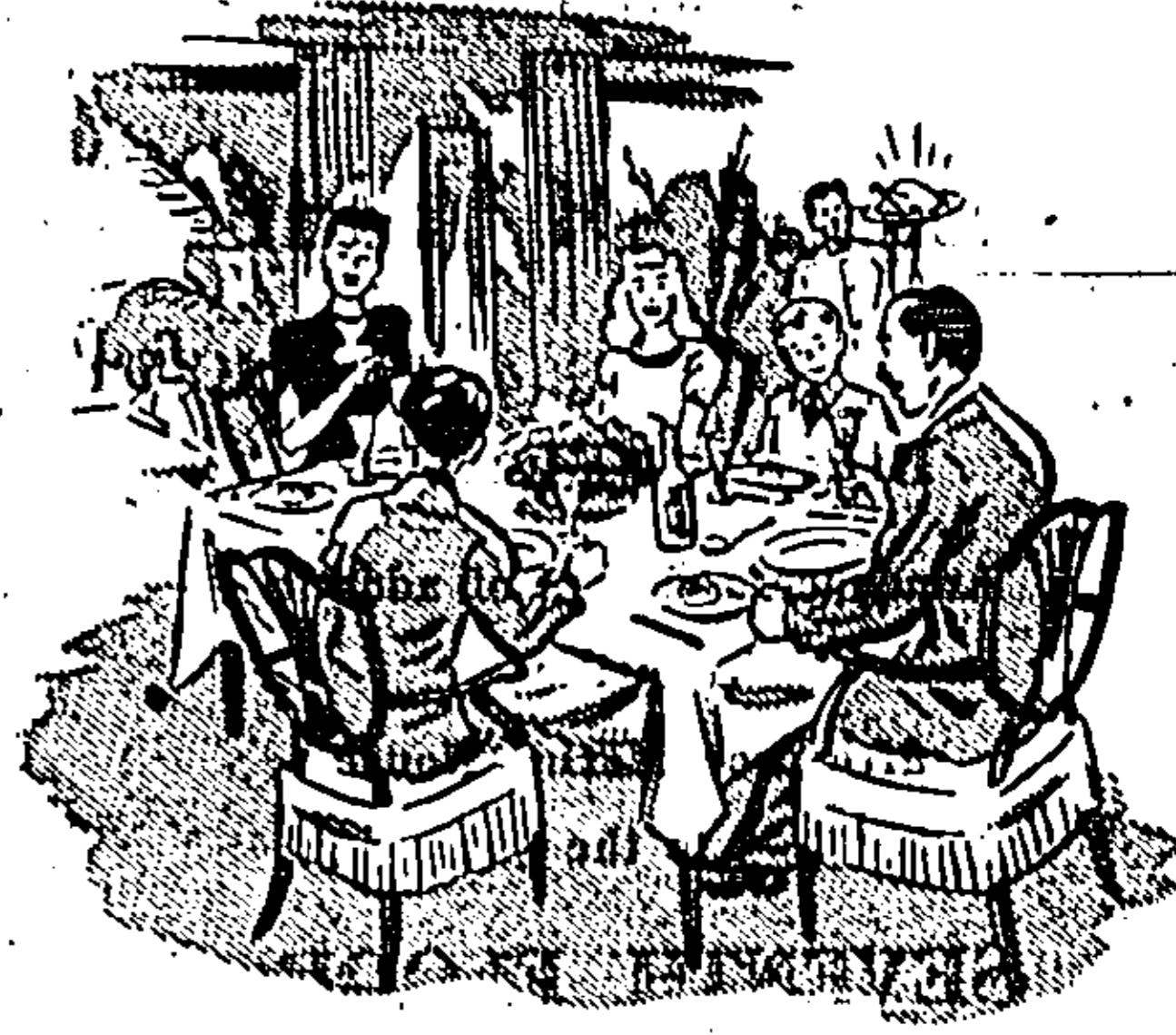
But if the difference between a duke and the rest of us is a great name, a great house, and a great mass of beautiful trifles, the Cavendishes will be dukes in the fullest sense of the word for at least another generation.

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Nightmare In New York

By Kay Murray

If you notice that your youngster is yawning, restless and has watering eyes, the chances are you will hand out a scolding about late nights and pack him off to bed with a couple of aspirins, without giving the matter more than a passing thought.

New York parents, on the other hand, have almost overnight been precipitated into a nightmare where these symptoms may mean that their child is one of New York's 16,000 teenage drug addicts—some of them no older than 13.

Seldom have American parents been as shaken as they were by the New York Police Department's recent revelations on this subject.

Dope addiction is occurring not only to youngsters who come from broken homes—fertile breeding ground of juvenile crime—but to children who have nothing to escape from, no problems other than the normal ones of adolescence and no deprivations more serious than that of doing without a coveted television set.

The first step is usually marijuana, a plant of which the dried leaves and flowers are made into cigarettes called "reefers."

Its purveyors haunt the local high school hang-out—a soda fountain, candy store or perhaps a conveniently dark din-and-dance spot.

Youngsters are flattered to find a stranger who always seems to be good for a chocolate ice cream soda.

From a chocolate soda, it's a short step to offering cigarettes all round, only these aren't ordinary cigarettes.

"Here, try this," says their benefactor, who is often Italian and frequently no older than they themselves. "Something different. Gives you a kick."

"Reefers" cost about seven shillings for three expensive enough for a teenager, who usually finds he is buying ten shillings a day for his "smokes" before he begins to look round for something else to give him a more satisfying "kick."

That's the moment when somebody like "Scarface" Ulanja is conveniently on hand.

This despicable character concentrated on the younger recruits. When the dope changed hands, he would tell his 13-year-old victims, "This is candy which will make you big and strong."

When he judged his young contact was ready for something stronger—"Tell you what," he'd say, "Reefers—that's kid's stuff. Now, you take a sniff at this—no charge, we're pals, aren't we?"

So the teenager takes his first sniff of heroin—a drug which even in medical circles is handled with kid gloves.

The next time he has to pay for it, he has to pay plenty—seven shillings at a time.

Within a few weeks a teenage addict may become a "mainliner," that is, he takes to a hypodermic, known as "the works" because it gives quicker results.

When he reaches this point the young addict may find his growing craving is costing him as much as £5 a day. Any time he refuses to pay the price, he is threatened with exposure or the cutting off of his supplies.

In 1950 a started New York Police Department found that the numbers of deaths from narcotics was only one less than from infantile paralysis, nearly 50 percent of the victims being under 25.

Of 30,000 known addicts (who are supplied by upwards of 2,000 peddlers) examined in New York, half of them were found to be youngsters still in school.

Reports have been pouring in from welfare agencies telling of boys and girls selling the clothes off their backs to provide funds for dope, robbing their parents and appearing in juvenile courts on charges varying from petty theft to violent assault and battery.

Parents and schoolteachers have been alerted to watch for symptoms of drug addiction—lethargy, a running nose, aches and pains, with sudden suspicious interludes when the child "feels much better."

A bill has been introduced into Congress extending the sentence for selling narcotics to minors from 10 years to 20 years.

The Government is impossible! Why don't they refuse to pay unfair meat prices and bring down the cost of living?

Equally agree. They should give in to Peron and put up the price of meat. Who cares what it costs?

Quite, quite! And they should build up our old coal exports instead of wasting coal on their blasted nationalised industries.

How true! Why starve the nation's industry of its coal and send it all away to the blasted export market?

They're right! ... Stop shilly-shallying and organise the country for defence and prosperity!

Absolutely, yes! and do away with control and pushing people around and let the steel industry look after itself!

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Where Mao learned his disappearing tricks

ON KNOWING YOUR LIMITATIONS

THE Chinese People's Army does not use the manuals of the Cambridge Staff College or the tactics taught at West Point.

BUT it has its own set of dogmas, which are only "mysterious" because few British officers have bothered to study them. AN outstanding Chinese military textbook, "The Art of War," was written by General Sun Tzu 2,450 years ago. In this ancient manual, are all the clues to the Mao mystery.

MAO TSE-TUNG'S field commanders have been following its rules in the Korean fighting. Mao's own tactical doctrines have been certainly influenced by it. It explains the "disappearing and reappearing tricks" of the Chinese forces around the 38th Parallel.

YOU too can be a mysterious Chinese general. Listen to the voice of Sun Tzu in the oldest military treatise in the world:

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The title page, from right to left: Sun Tzu on the Art of War

...ON BEING MYSTERIOUS

ILL warfare is based on

A deception.

Hence, when able to attack we must seem unable. When using our forces, we must seem inactive. When we are near, we must make the enemy believe we are far away. When far away, we must make him believe we are near...

To begin by bluster, but afterwards to take flight at the enemy's numbers, shows a supreme lack of intelligence...

When a general, unable to estimate the enemy's strength, allows an inferior force to engage a larger one, and neglects to place picked soldiers in the front rank, the result must be a rout...

O divine art of subtlety and secrecy! Through you we learn to be invisible, through you we can hold the enemy's fate in our hands...

In making tactical dispositions, the highest pitch you can attain is to conceal them....

Move only if there is real advantage to be gained....

...ON PRETENDING TO BE WEAK

SIMULATED disorder postulates perfect discipline. Simulated fear postulates courage. Simulated weakness postulates strength.

Thus one who is skilful at keeping the enemy on the move, maintains deceitful appearances. He sacrifices something, that the enemy may snatch at it. By holding out baits he keeps him on the march; then, with a body of picked men he lies in wait for him.

...ON GENERALSHIP

THERE are five dangerous faults in a general: Recklessness, which leads to destruction. Cowardice, which leads to capture. A hasty temper, which can be provoked by insults. A PEACE proposals unaccompanied by a sworn covenant indicate a plot.

...ON PEACE PROPOSALS

PEACE proposals unaccompanied by a sworn covenant indicate a plot.

gives you an opening. Afterwards, emulate the speed of a running hare, and it will be too late for the enemy to oppose you...

Move not unless you see an advantage, fight not unless the position is critical. No general should fight a battle simply out of pique. If it is to your advantage, move. If not, stay where you are.

...ON EXPLOITING VICTORY

DO not interfere with an army that is returning home. When you surround an army, leave an outlet free. Do not press desperate, too hard. Such is the art of warfare.

To fight and conquer in all your battles is not supreme excellence. This consists in breaking the enemy's resistance without fighting.

—London Express Service

JOB RATION TO OUST TRUMAN?

From R. M. McCOLL

NEW YORK. IT looks very much as though America intends to ration the time served by her future Presidents.

Twenty-seven of America's 48 States have already ratified an amendment to the Constitution making ten years the limit a man can stay in the White House.

All it needs is nine more States to agree to the amendment. That would give the necessary three-fourths majority of 36.

Presidents are elected every four years. So why are they talking about a ten-year limit?

Because if a Vice-President were to succeed to the Presidency less than halfway through a term, through the death of the President—just as Mr Truman did—he could serve only one more full term after the fragment he "inherited."

If the new law is passed this year, as most people think, Truman cannot be a candidate in the next Presidential elections in 1952—as most people think he would like to be.

[President Roosevelt served three full terms and part of a fourth—from 1933 to his death in 1945.]

ONE OF THE BRIGHTEST careers in business annals was that of Stan Smiley, of Brooklyn. He opened a bootie's shop at one p.m. At 2.30 it had been closed by the police, and Smiley was addressing the judge.

Some accused it of barely whispering America's story, some of shouting too loudly, and others complained about high cost.

Now, in the current game of "Let's have a kick at the State Department" in Congress, there is a move to take it away from the department and let the President control it.

THERE WAS SOMETHING awfully familiar about a candidate for a Civil Service examination. The examiners did a little checking and found that Thomas Heaney, an engineer in New York's sanitation department, had impersonated three different men in the exams. He passed each time, too. But now he has passed out of the sanitation department.

THEY ARE BUSY making a film called "Run for the Hills" with real New York and suburban backgrounds. It is all about a young couple who prepare for an atom bomb attack. It is supposed to be funny.

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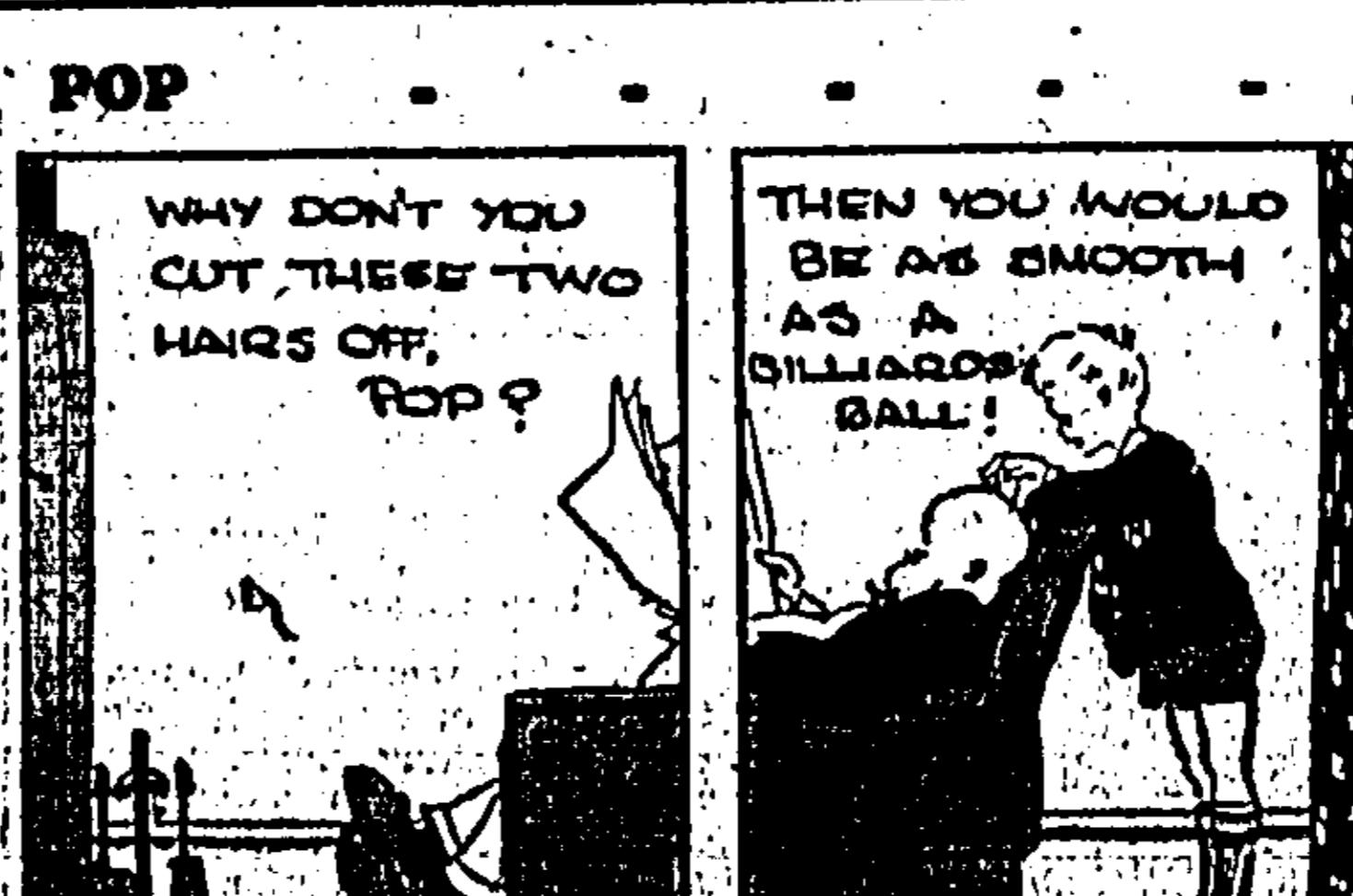
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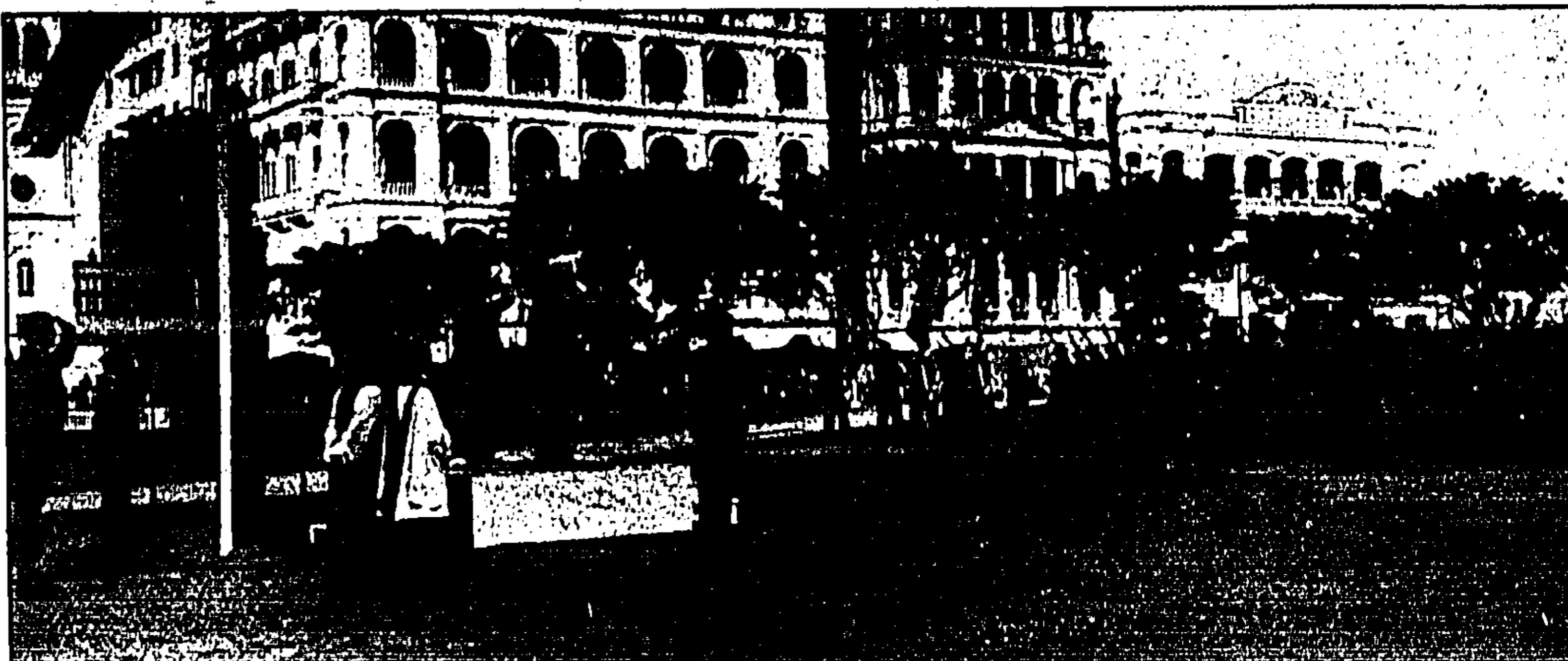
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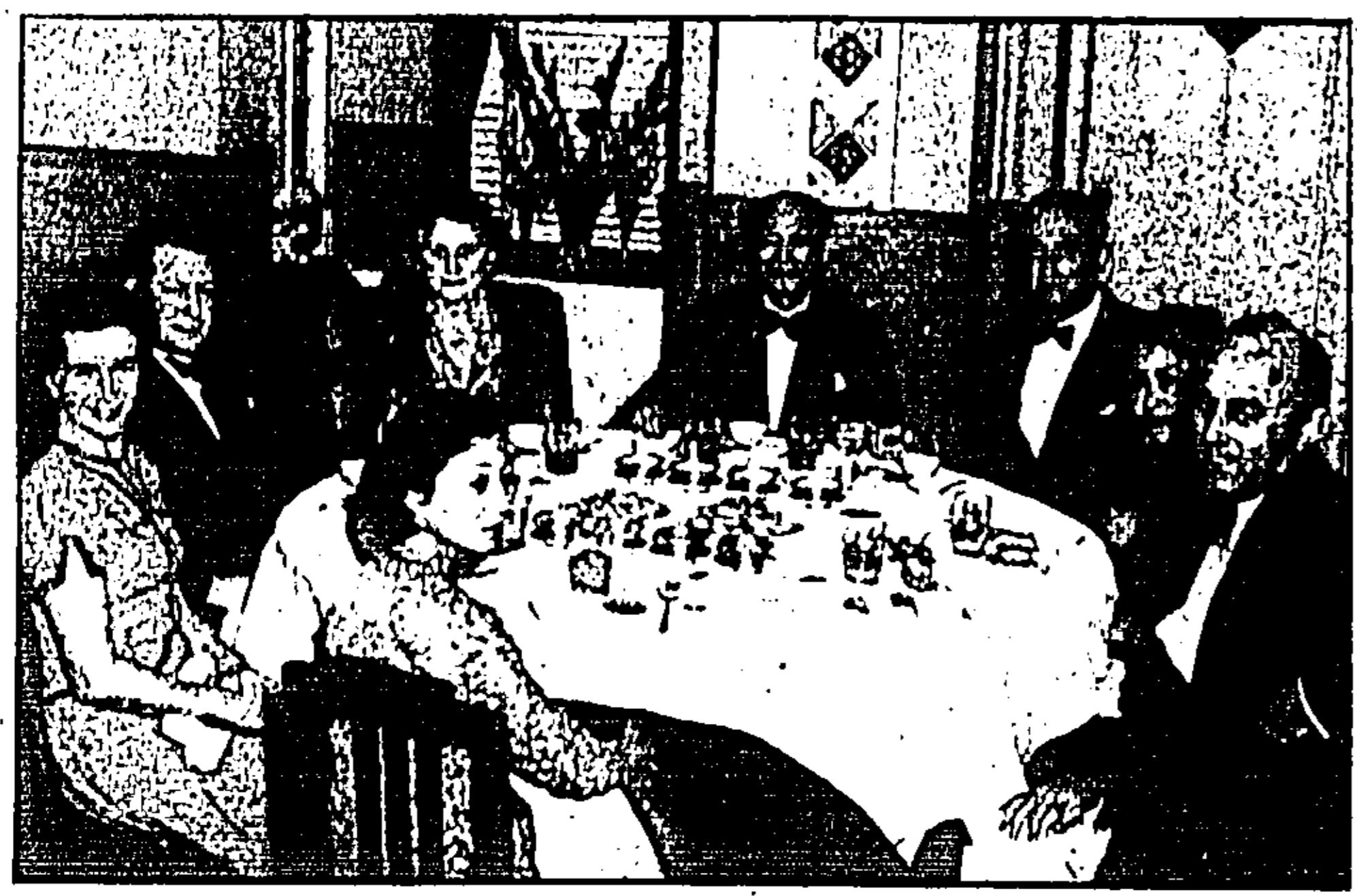




MR Lionel Henry Lamb (left), who is on route to Peking to take up his post as the new Charge D'Affaires at the British Embassy, replacing Sir John Hutchison, welcomed on arrival at Kai Tak airport last Sunday. (Staff Photographer)



SCENES at the presentation of Colours to the Hongkong Regiment last week. The Colours were replacements, the originals having been lost during the Japanese occupation. Left: Lieut. W. D. L. Ridge receiving the Regimental Colour from HE the Governor. Above: the Regiment marching past after the ceremony. (Staff Photographer)



PICTURE taken at a dinner given by the Luk Hoi Tung, Ltd., in honour of the Hon. M. M. Watson (third from right) and in appreciation of his invaluable services rendered to the company. On Mr. Watson's right is Mr. C. Y. Chen, who was host. Also in picture are the Acting Chief Justice, Mr. T. J. Gould, and the Hon. Leo D'Almada e Castro. (Staff Photographer)



RIGHT: Cheung Kin-man, Hongkong's champion swimmer (seated fourth from left), was entertained by the Eastern Athletic Club last week to celebrate his recent aquatic achievements in Manila. (Peter Tso)



FAMILY group taken after the christening at St John's Cathedral of Nicholas Peter, son of Mr and Mrs A. L. Snaith. (Ming Yuen)



MR J. Skinner, Chairman of the Hongkong Football Association, presenting the Inter-Pack Challenge Shield to the 4th Hongkong Wolf Cub Pack, winners of the round robin soccer competition. (Staff Photographer)



MR A. R. Brown, President of the Society of Yorkshiremen in Hongkong, speaking at the annual dinner dance of the Society held in the Hongkong Hotel last week. (Staff Photographer)



LEFT: Mr J. F. Williams (centre), Joint Managing Director of Australian Associated Press and Managing Editor of the Herald and Weekly Times Ltd., Melbourne, seen at a cocktail party given in his honour by Mr W. E. Parrott (left), local AAP representative. (Staff Photographer)

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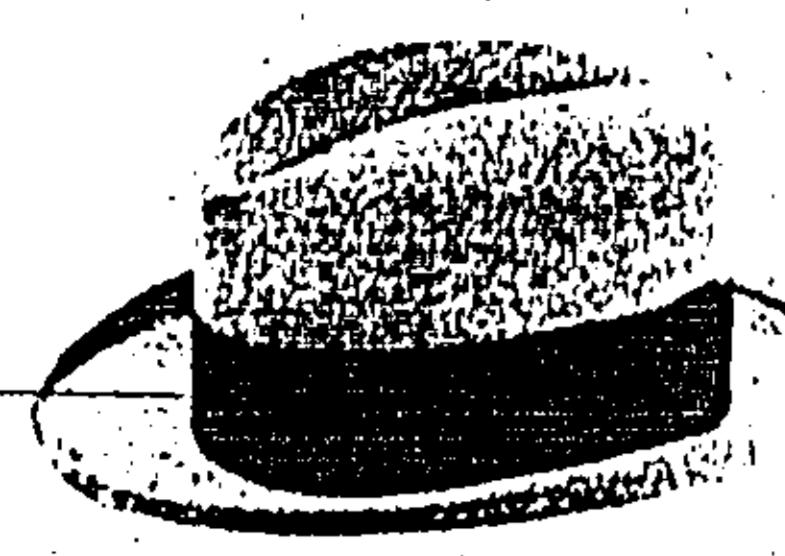
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PICTURES taken at the bon voyage dinner given by the Special Consulatary at the Hongkong Hotel last Saturday in honour of Mr. D. W. MacIntosh, Commissioner of Police, and Mrs. MacIntosh. Right: Mr. C. S. Johnston, who presided. (Staff Photographer)

WEEK-END WOMANSENSE



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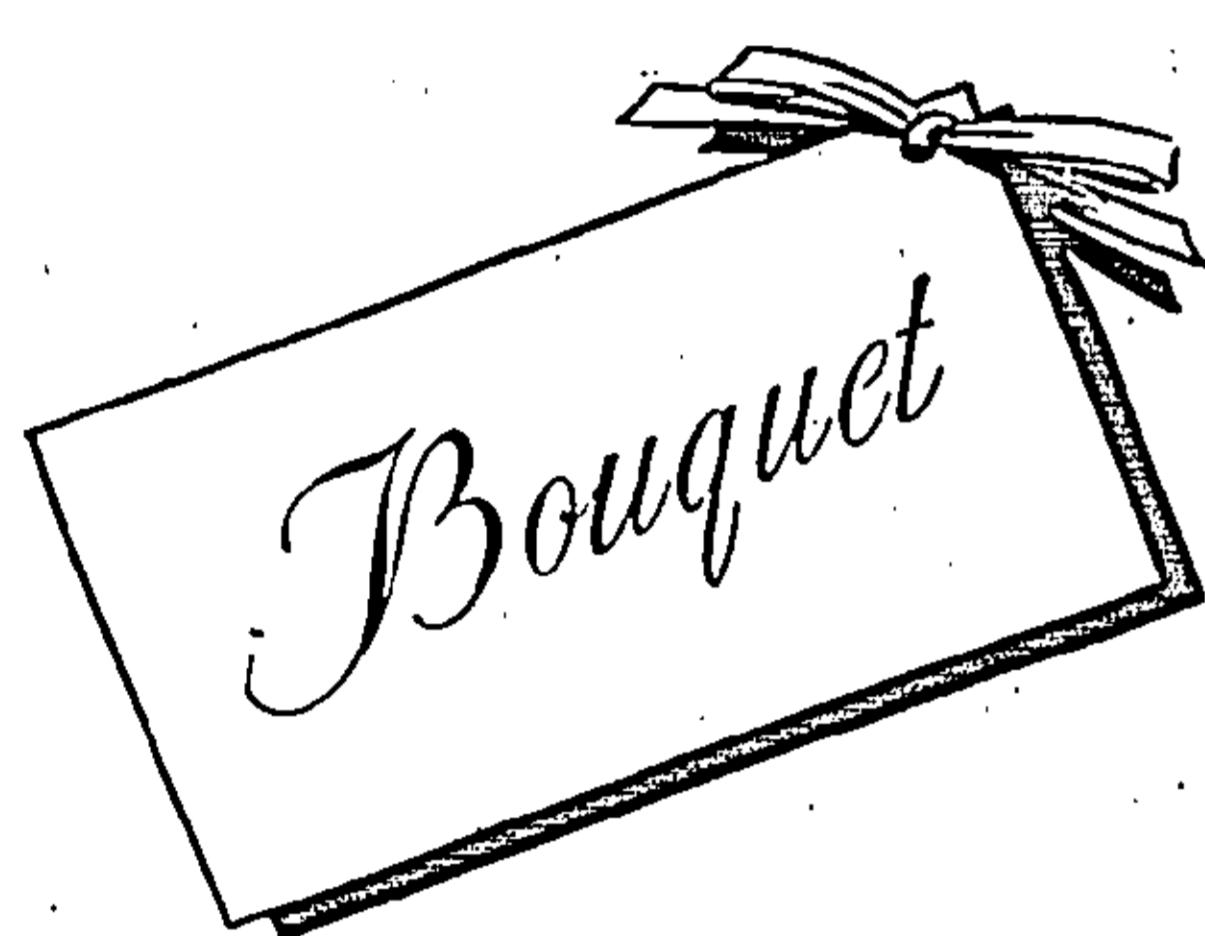
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A Spring Tale Of Two Cities

The sketches this week provide the first more detailed peep into the "spring" wardrobe.

LONDON. WE have heard on all sides of a more feminine and rounded line with revers that are long. And we have heard, too, that nothing has appeared to oust navy and white from their position of first favourite, and that many designers have shown a marked preference for a dress and jacket ensemble in the place of a suit.

Illustrated here is a typical example of this spring theme—

navy suiting and white cotton pique are combined in a two-piece by Digby Morton. (Models on first and second columns). The large loops on the packet are covered entirely with pique embroidered attractively around the edge and repeated at the neck of the dress. Sleeves on dresses of all types are still not set in. The tiny cap sleeves of the variety shown here, are admirably cool in the most crowded of all parties.

A lunch date, and no idea what to wear? If this is your

toned basque and left to hang gracefully at the side.

But this week the London collections have been temporarily forgotten in the excitement caused by the reports from Paris. Paris and London are in agreement over the general line—soft and feminine, a well-defined waist in its natural place, and the skirt remaining at mid-calf length.

But, naturally enough, Paris has elaborated, in her individual way, the simple silhouette. She has the prerogative for introducing eccentricities, and has not disappointed us. Her newest outline, introduced by Desses in particular, is the apron skirt: it is just what it sounds. Whereas the London designers chose to place the draping mainly on the left hip, the Paris designers have placed it in the centre front, in the form of an apron. They have again expressed their love of versatility, for this has a dual purpose. Semi-circular in shape, it may be worn either in the front, or, when you feel cold, it may be turned, and voila, a cape ready-to-wear.



Navy dress of the ensemble

problem, Digby Morton has provided an excellent answer in his plaid organza coat, illustrated (figure at right) worn over a plain black wool dress. Another excellent creation, for formal wear, was seen in his silk suit with side draping. (Figure at extreme right). The material is swathed round the jacket, slotted though the but-

The reaction to a Parisian extravagance is always mingled with either seriousness, or merely to smile with an understanding, tolerant smile.

But there has emerged one general rule for this spring, which is confirmed by Paris: you can wear last year's clothes, but not last year's hats. The important news then comes from the milliners and hairdressers. And on this subject the two cities are in agreement. Hats are either very large or very small—large with floppy brims, or small, either bonnet or pillbox shape with masses of flowers and veiling. Large crowns are seen on small brims; there are exotic straw berets. Bowlers of straw or fabric have chiffon bustle trimming, faintly reminiscent of a chignon, or ribbon streamers flowing down the back. A lot of natural straw is being used; violet and sun-

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ORCHID bought by Mr Holt of Seattle

Even Japan's Hirohito wants British orchids

A £1.25 orchid of rare perfection was flown to America recently.

It took six years to grow in a Slough nursery, and has just flowered a single bloom, itself too valuable ever to become a woman's corsage.

Despite Korea there is no price of the orchid we christened 'Stalin' in 1942. "Once entered in the stud book a name cannot be changed. Uncle Joe's orchid is soft mauve with ruby lips and a golden throat.

"Few men in Britain wear orchid buttons today. Growers never do."

"Joseph Chamberlain was never without one. Until the last war a London stockbroker spent £1,000 a year on orchids."

EXPORTS RISING

He will use it for crossbreeding. The bloom has a white dorsal with purple spots, touches of green and yellow, and a pouch of lacquered mahogany.

Mr Holt does not yet know that his orchid was given the Royal Horticultural Society's award of merit.

Orchids are in the news. Britain's biggest orchid show will be held next month in London.

The other day a Berkshire woman paid £75 for 110 orchids ranging from white to deep red for her mother's funeral.

Experts of high-class orchid plants are rising, and the U.S. and Australia our best customers. This year orchid exports are expected to reach nearly £100,000, almost double the 1949 figure.

An amateur grower in Australia has just ordered 15,000 seedlings for 17s. 6d. each. A £500 offer was made recently for a green cymbidium orchid plant.

Touring the U.S. to book orders is Mr Peter Black, chairman of the British Orchid Growers' Association.

To assist him he has taken paintings by Miss Nellie Roberts, a grey-haired woman of about 70 who lives in Brixton and is Britain's official orchid artist.

She has painted them by the thousand for more than 50 years. There is no one to replace her if she dies.

Orchid expert Norman Black, brother of Peter, said: "Many

amateur growers range from royalty—the King has a fine collection at Windsor and flowers are sent to decorate the Queen's rooms at Buckingham Palace—to £8-a-week garage hands paying 10s. 6d. to 25s. for unflowered plants."

ORCHID-ODDITIES: Darwin kept orchids because their structure resembles the human body more than any other plant. Baron Schröder paid £1,800 for a new species early in the century. John Dominy, a Briton, bred the first orchid from seed. There are 15,000 known species.

GERALD SCHEFF

—(London Express Service)

All-occasion Favourite



Red velvet jumpsuit

By VERA WINSTON

THE jumpsuit into the fashion scene with vigorous action this season. Smart shops are featuring handsome jumpsuits that, with a blouse, are right for daytime wear, and, without a blouse, are very much on their own for dress-up hours. This version is in deep claret, red velvetone. It is shown worn with a blouse in pale pink crepe with a winged collar, little velvetone bows, and wide red jewelled studs.

A SALLOW FACE

A jar of bleach cream is a good investment for the girl with a sallow complexion. The cream serves to lighten and whiten the skin.

By HELEN FOLLETT

THERE are olive complexions, golden ones and those that are sallow. The sallow type sometimes takes on a yellowish tone that makes the victim unhappy. She looks with envy upon the lucky girl whose skin is creamy with just the right amount of colouring in the cheeks.

While it is necessary to follow certain diet rules to correct this condition, much can be done by a five-minute treatment every day. Begin with a face washing with warm water and a bland soap, rinse well, dry with gentle pats. A good idea is to fold a soft towel around the hands, pat upward briskly to stimulate the blood streams. Combine equal parts of peroxide and strained lemon juice, dab on with puffs of cotton, letting it dry. The peroxide should be from a freshly-opened bottle.

Bleaching Cream

Half an hour later apply a bleaching cream. You will find these lotions at cosmetic counters. They are mild, not related in any way to the old-time sooty offerings. Remove the cream before playing with the make-up kit.

Now for health rules: cut down on rich foods, pastries and sauces. Start the day with a glass of unsweetened lemonade or tomato juice. The acids and vitamin C contents will have a favourable effect upon the skin giving it a more normal colouring.

Flattering Powder

Take talcum to find a powder that is flattering. If it carries a slight rose cast it will give freshness to the complexion and will create a healthier appearance.

Avoid rouge and lipstick of the blue-reds, known as raspberry or wine shades. Orange-reds are better, blend more agreeably with the sallow skin.

In dress, avoid browns and beiges. They offer no contrast, will prove unbecoming. Black is a safe bet, so is navy blue. Grays are all right if they are not cold, steel grays, but soft, dove tones.

THE Paris Look



Paris spring bonnets show a balanced side interest. Claude St. Cyr carries it out in white leather wings on a navy straw.

EILEEN ASCROFT, who has been sending day-by-day reports from the French dress shows, sums up the trend

THE elegant woman of 1961 will still be wearing a 1950 suit. Basic lines have not changed. Length remains the same; shoulders natural. Waists are in the right place, and small.

Newest fashion features are olive-shaped apron front skirt, introduced by Desses; and the pinafore by Alwynn.

Colours

All shades of yellow, from palest yoghurt white to tanned apricot. Favourites are citron, canary and mimosa. Navy and grey for daywear feature lavish touches of white pique. For cocktails and evening dresses, smoky pink is first choice.

Materials

This is a season of deception. Wool looks like silk or lace, silk like wool and cottons resemble silk. All are crisp-looking and light in weight, either plain in colour or very finely striped.

Clothes

For town wear, coats are fitted to the waist, with flaring skirts. Many are short-sleeved and half-bolered. The evening coat

turns. For country coats are choice but there are many one-sleeved models.

Jewellery

Prettiest fashion was shown by Paquin, whose mannequins pined diamond brooches onto side below the waist belt. Earrings in diamond half loops outlined the contour of the ear. Jacques Fath models wore a big jewelled brooch on one shoulder, and a diamond stickpin in their chignons. Girls use jewelled bees on eye-veils, sleeves and high-necks, big bows.

Dresses

The coat-dress is smart with a wrap-over front. Jackets are held by leather belts instead of buttons, have long, low revers and flaring basques, matching or contrasting waistbands or decollete square or rectangular necklines and full skirts, sometimes with a matching or contrasting apron front. A pretty style has side-pleated fullness. Many dresses are teamed with capes, which can also be worn in reversible apron fronts.

Evening Frocks

Evening frocks are either slim or sheath-like, softened with floating chiffon scarves and huge bows, or crinoline style with lavish embroidery. The strapless top is still first

PRACTICAL HOMECRAFT

Anne Edwards



"It's not a fault, Madame, it is a characteristic."



"Madame is so fortunate—she can wear anything."

IN PARIS FOR THE SHOWS
STEPS OUT IN PRE-WAR-STYLE

Robb

DID THE SKETCHES



"You have more hair now—that is more loveliness."

Where all smart Parisians congregate.

'Between the shows, I've been doing a few of the things which seem so much more fun in Paris'

We talk a little about the mutual friend who introduced us. We discuss the new dress shows. We look at fashion magazines. We decide on a style. We raise the question of price.

But there is still time for the fashion picture to change. For the only two dressmakers in Paris powerful enough to decide what women all over the world will want to wear in spring have not had their say yet.

Everything has the look of the clothes we wore just before the war.

Nevertheless, the colours, materials, and details are, as always, exquisite. The colours are soft greys, creams, browns, and pinks. The materials are transparent shantung, organza, and chiffon.

The details are elaborate pockets, braided edgings, intricate buttoning, and layered revers.

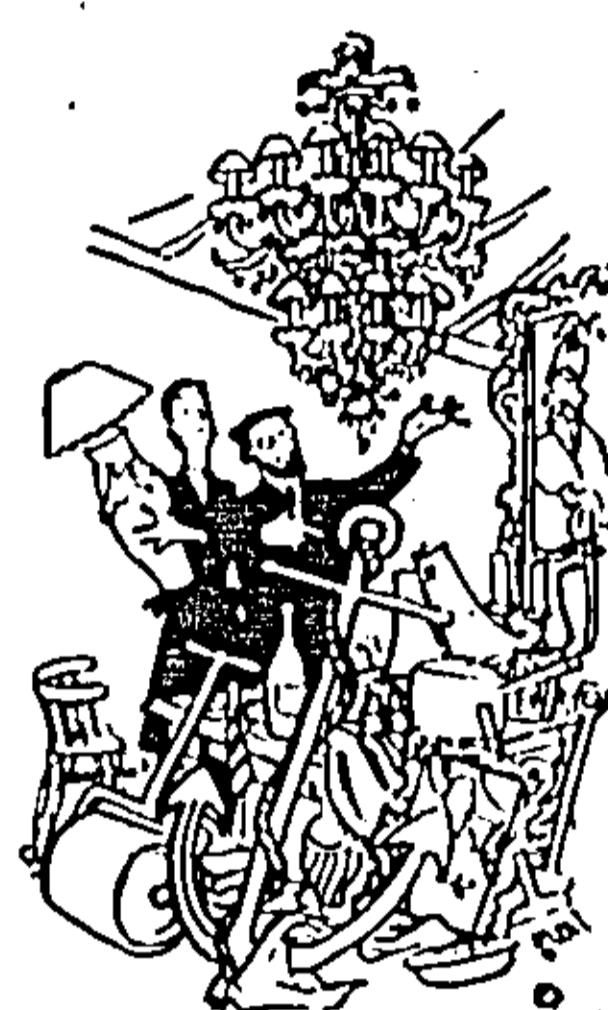
Still in fashion are turned-up collars, three-quarter sleeves,

patent belts, short white gloves, long diamond ear-rings, brown mixed with black, topless tulle dresses, and enormous tulle hats.

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I go to the dressmaker

THE scene is a small cluttered sitting-room on the edge of Paris, and the little French dressmaker turns out, as usual to be Russian.



"Madame is English, so I make a special price."

We decide on the revers. We choose the buttons.

Madame fetches the toille (the dress ready-made up in cotton) and we try it on.

"Oh, it's beautiful, Madame has just the right figure for it,

That bulge? It is not a fault, Madame, it is a characteristic.

The dress is so chic—so lovely—so easy to wear. Madame is so chic—so lovely—so easy to dress.

"It would be a crime to keep Madame and the dress apart. And can Madame leave a little deposit?"

Other hair shop assistants please note that if they had a little more of this technique they would sell twice as many hats. Instead of always managing to convey to the customer that she is the wrong shape, the wrong age, the wrong colour.

I go to the hairdresser

WE are in a large room with washbasins and mirrors—the salon of the most famous hairdresser in Paris.

Milling around are clients with curlers in their hair and cotton-wool between their toes.

There are poodles, children, cloakroom girls, mannequins, commissioners, and elegant young men in pale mauve suits who stamp and pout and shriek.

Almost everyone is in the midst of a temperment.

But any one of the elegant young men can perm, cut,



is so fortunate, she can wear anything.

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I get rid of the frangs

HERE is your last chance to get rid of your frangs. Here on Sunday you can buy buttons or a bedsheet, junk or genuine antiques, 18th century candlesticks, modern chandeliers, Empire clocks, old French china.

Sales technique to look out for:

"Madame is a tourist? Then I make a special price."

FASHION IN ACTION—1

MOST popular colour in all the dress shows is grey, the hardest colour in the world to handle, for it is the contrast you use with it that counts. This is how some famous French dress designers handle grey:

Slate-grey dress with large apricot hat. Clerical grey with emerald felt hat. Flannel grey suit with white sailor hat and shirt and short white gloves. Pearl grey evening dress with pink.

Dark grey wool frock with tangerine coat. Grey coat with primrose yellow frock and hat.

FASHION IN ACTION—2

TRY THIS: Scooped-out orange filled with icecream mixed with cognac and orange juice topped with whipped cream.

TRY THIS: Victorian silver candlesticks wired and used as desk lamps with dark green shades.

TRY THIS: A few strands of hair bleached lighter than the rest, worn in front in the shape of a sunburst.

TRY THIS: One large clip pinned to the sleeve seam of your jacket near the top of your shoulder.

(London Express Service)

EXPECTANT MOTHERS TAKE NOTE OF THIS!

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

THE pregnant woman is quite likely to develop enlarged and dilated veins during pregnancy, particularly in the legs. In times past many doctors elected to leave these varicose veins untreated during pregnancy—since there was some hope that the condition would improve after the birth of the baby. Even where it did not, it was felt that treatment would be more successful if postponed until this time.

Today, our thought on the matter is different since it has been demonstrated that treatment during pregnancy gives as good if not better results as afterward. Moreover, such treatment guards against the formation of a clot in the vein which was formerly such a common aftermath to childbirth. Neglect of varicose veins also leads to such complications as inflammation of the skin or as development of varicose ulcers, sores on the leg which are notoriously hard to heal.

VARICOSE VEINS

The exact cause of varicose veins is not known. It is thought that they tend to run in families, that certain occupations may contribute to their development, and that a lack of vitamin C may be a factor.

Certain tests should be carried out before the veins are treated. One consists of putting an elastic bandage on the leg and having the patient walk about for a time. If this relieves the symptoms, it indicates that the deeper veins in the legs are open and carrying blood satisfactorily.

Another test consists of putting a constricting band about the upper part of the leg and then suddenly releasing it. If the veins fill up quickly, it indicates that a valve in one of the large veins is not working as it should. In these cases, tying off the vein in the upper part of the leg is necessary. The test can be repeated at various levels in the leg to determine just where the faulty valves are located in order to give an accurate picture of where tying-off is needed.

The wearing of an elastic bandage or an elastic stocking may temporarily relieve the symptoms. The injection of certain solutions which cause the formation of scar tissue in the veins may also be a satisfactory treatment. However, in severe cases, operation and tying off of the veins are required.

Sign Of The Times



The sign of the times—a Z embroidered in green sequins on the elbow-length gloves worn by Miss Judy Shirley at the 1st Anti-Alcohol Group Ball at the Dorchester.

(London Express Service)

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Always use both hands, cup fashion, to support a sweater from underneath while you are washing it. Any knit garment is heavy when wet. If you dip it up and down or "drag" it from the soapsuds or rinses water, it tends to sag and lose its shape. When you're sure the garment is clean, squeeze out excess water and blot it in

towel before reshaping it by your own favourite sweater-drying method.

A good general rule for caring for linoleum is the less washing the better.

Soft water makes better starch than hard water.



THIS WEEK'S GADGET

discovered by JOAN DALE



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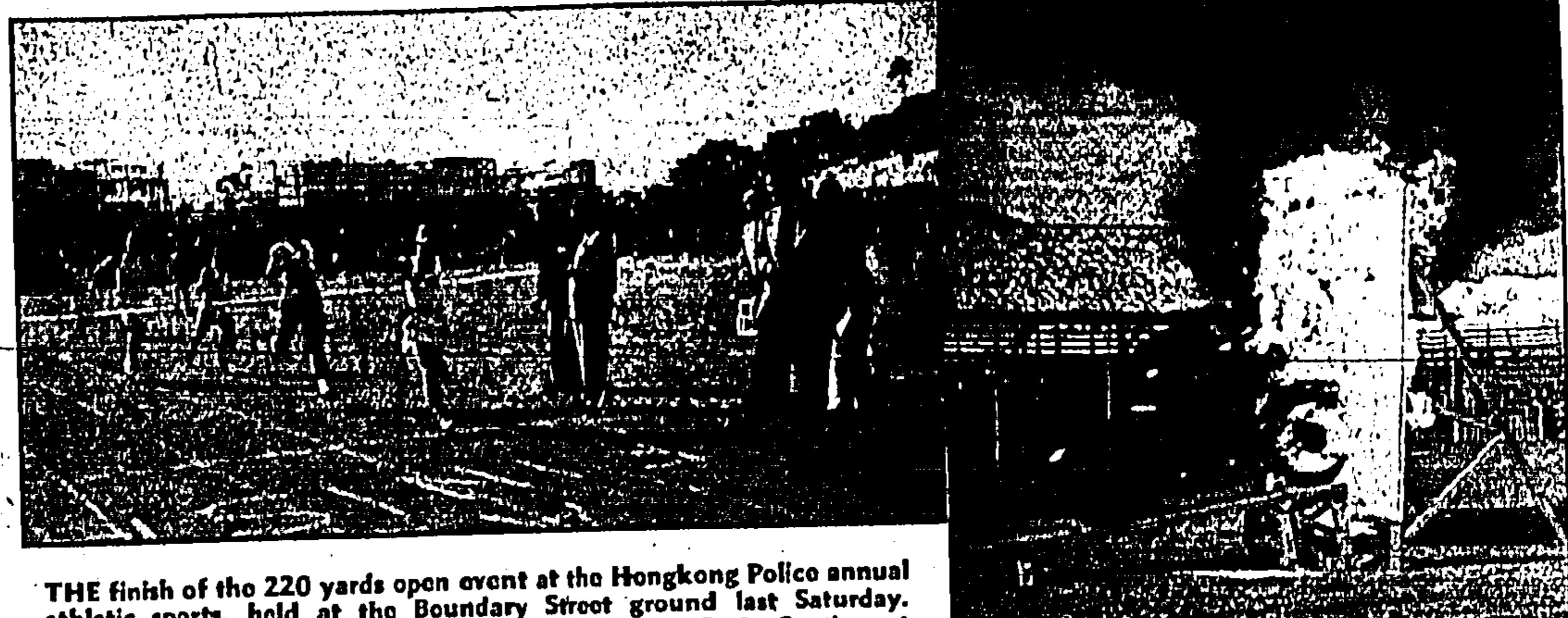
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RIGHT: Mr Ramon del Rosario, World President of the Junior Chamber International, speaking at the first Regional Conference in Asia of the organisation held at the Club Lusitano last week. HE the Governor, who opened the Conference, is on his right. Below: distinguished guests and members who attended the Conference. (Staff Photographer)



THE finish of the 220 yards open event at the Hongkong Police annual athletic sports, held at the Boundary Street ground last Saturday. Right: a demonstration by a member of the Motor Cycle Contingent. (Staff Photographer)



FAMILY group taken after the christening, at the Roman Catholic Cathedral, of Dennis Ian, son of Dr and Mrs George Cho. (Ming Yuen)



GROUP picture taken at a farewell dinner given at the Club Lusitano by members of the Portuguese community in honour of Mr and Mrs M. P. do Campos, leading Portuguese residents of Shanghai, who are passing through on route to the United States. (Moo Cheung)

LEFT: Relatives and friends photographed with Mr Chao Nai-kang and Miss Ma Woon-man after their wedding last Saturday at the Kam Ling Restaurant. (Roy Tsang)

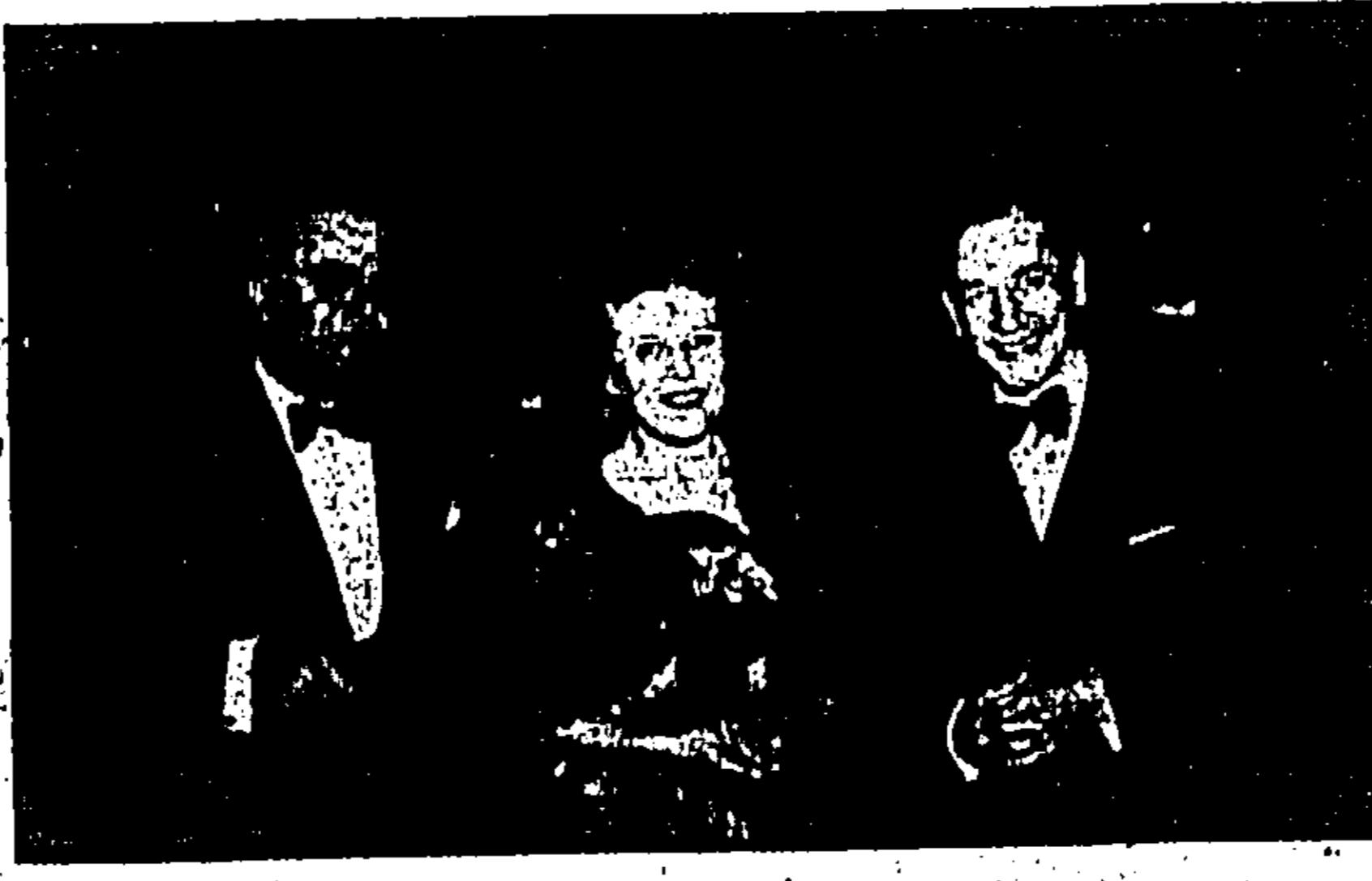


TWO pictures taken at the Valentine's Day dance for Servicemen held at the Hongkong Women's International Club. It was one of the most successful functions organised by the Club this season. (Staff Photographer)



LEFT: Mr C. Holt (at right), Deputy General Manager of Messrs Thos Cook and Son, Ltd. London, of the Hongkong Medical soon with Mr B. C. Hale, Department's new TB clinic Far East Manager, and Mrs Hale at a cocktail party given by them in his honour at the Hongkong Club. (Staff Photographer)

THE Hon. C. E. Terry officiating at the opening of the Hongkong Medical Department's new TB clinic in Waterloo Road, Kowloon, last week. (Staff Photographer)



COMMITTEE and members of the Hongkong University Arts Association for the current year. (Ming Yuen)



SPORTS SHIRTS

By **AERTEX**

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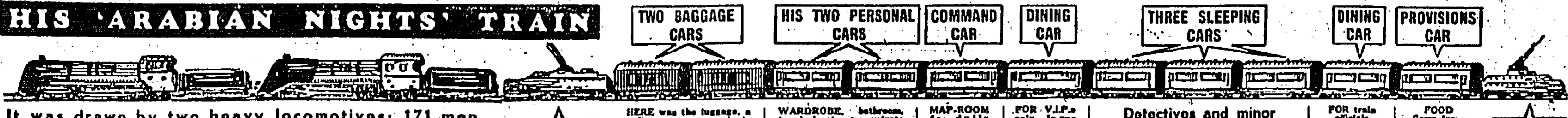
IN A NICE SELECTION FROM \$18.00

PICTURE taken at the Hongkong Union Church on the occasion of the christening of Carolyn Jane, daughter of Mr and Mrs T. W. Bone. (Ming Yuen)



MR F. C. Clemo, Manager of the China Light and Power Co. Ltd., and Mrs Clemo, who celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary on Valentine's Day, pictured with their two children. (Roy Tsang)

WHITEWAYS
(WHITEWAY, LAWRENCE & CO. LTD.)



It was drawn by two heavy locomotives; 171 men lived here permanently, apart from guests

A.A. GUNS

HERE was the luggage, a radio room, a private 'fridge. Eight security police to guard Goering.

WARDROBE, bathroom, two bedrooms, two private drawing rooms, a cinema and a library.

MAP-ROOM for daily military conference.

FOR VIPs only. In one compartment some slept.

Detectives and minor guests lived here

FOR train officials and the crew.

FOOD news from Italy and France. A.A. GUNS

THE FANTASTIC GOERING

Whenever he took a bath the war had to wait

by... EITEL LANGE

WE PHOTOGRAPH TUNNELS

MINISTERIAL Counsellor Dr Goernert, who organised all purchases, all presents, and all feasts for Goering, telephoned asking me to see him.

He was an unpopular man. But he made himself indispensable by having no scruples in fulfilling every wish of the Iron Man.

Dr Goernert instructed me to show up at Gatow Airport with my cameras. I was to undertake an air trip with Goernert and First Lieutenant Wittmann.

We took off for Paris. From there we undertook daily circular flights over France, Belgium, and Holland.

I had the queer task of photographing tunnels. I photographed tunnels from every angle, height, and distance, and was not told why.

We returned to Berlin, and then made the same round trips above Poland. Tunnels, tunnels, tunnels.

MADE HIS HOME IN THIS TRAIN

GOERING'S motor-cars were loaded into it. There were generators powerful enough to provide current for a town of moderate size. There were showers for the crew of troops and a hair-dresser's. Two French luxury coaches housed officials, an automobile officer, the chief chauffeur Schulz and other chauffeurs.

Two heavy locomotives pulled the main train. This train was Goering's favourite home next to Karinhall.

Behind the locomotives came an anti-aircraft car—low-lying, and almost frightening. There were two cars like this, the other being at the end of the train.

Following the leading anti-aircraft car were two baggage cars, carrying Goering's personal luggage—aluminum cabin trunks, each as high as a man.

Here also was a radio and recording room and the marshal's special refrigerator.

In the "fridge" was imported fruit such as strawberries bedded in cotton wool, which had been brought by air from Spain. Near-by were wines and cigarettes in profusion.

Eight armed officials of railway security police travelled in the luggage cars. They were eight most faithful and reliable watch-dogs.

When the main train stopped anywhere, if only for a minute, these eight men ran from their cars and surrounded the marshal's cars.

Goering used two cars. They had been specially constructed and were weighted down with lead plates for smooth running.

In the first was his wardrobe, uniforms without number, multi-famous leather jackets about which he was crazy, and brocade and silk dressing-gowns.

Here also were his swords, epaulettes, and decorations. The bathroom was tiled in white.

When the lord of the train took his bath and breakfast in the morning, the train—and, of course, the "pilot" train—was stopped. The Iron Man did not most assiduous readers.

like the water sloshing about in the tub. So we frequently blocked the lines.

It did not matter if—because of the Reichsmarschall's bath and breakfast—military transports, hospital trains and, later, refugee trains, were stranded behind us for hours.

Often I talked to exhausted and despairing station-masters.

The entire time-table is messed up," they would say.

But they would add: "Never mind. Well straighten things out yet. What can be done will be done—Hermann must be able to work."

Work? He was sitting in his tub, with bath salts and scents.

Next to the bathroom were two bedrooms—one for Goering and the other for his Emmy, his wife, who never used it.

The big beds, the paneling, the ceiling and furniture were of cherry wood. The elderdowns were silk.

A small private drawing-room lay next to Goering's bedroom. There, too, the walls and ceiling were made of precious wood.

A library contained books of Karl May (a favourite German boy's writer of adventure stories in a Red Indian or Arab setting), books on Genetics, and Detective stories without number.

Goering, Kropf the valet, and myself—in that order—were the most assiduous readers.

A deep-pile carpet lay on the telephone floor of the little drawing-room. By the window stood the armchair in which the marshal used to sit and read.

Goering's second car contained the big drawing-room also rich with heavy rugs.

There were two mahogany desks—easy chairs, standard lamps, silk curtains.

Everything was of expensive material and, I must add, in good taste.

The evening film shows were put on in this car. After supper, about 11 p.m., Goering would send his R.Q. to report his location to Hitler. That, presumably, ended the business calls.

Next Goering would call his wife and talk to her. Other high officers in order of rank, would phone, their wives.

There was a dining car on the grand scale. It had an electric and steam-heating system and a cooling plant.

The chief adjutant, von Brauchitsch, lived here with Surgeon-Major Dr von Ondarza, Goering's personal doctor. Dr Goernert, as well as Marshal Milch, Udet, and Goering's shadow, Colonel General Loerzer.

Dr Goernert was the train commandant and his office held



in three of his favourite poses

(Above) AS THE SQUIRE on his country estate, surrounded by the smiles of the children.

(Left) AS 'GERMANY'...the proud diplomat with field-marshall's baton presents himself at a reception.

(Below) AS THE HUNTER—Plumed and caparisoned, he goes forth to the chase.



The fifth coach was the command car. Half of it was taken up by a map table. Here every morning at 11 the military situation was discussed.

On one side was a desk and over it a life-size portrait of the Fuehrer, bathed in indirect light. The second half of the car contained the adjutant's room, a radio room, a telephone exchange, and a writing room.

Goernert's main source of lived permanently—not counting income was in organising guests.

He was the most unpopular man in Goering's circle. He had

a big house at Dahlem, in Berlin.

A small town could have lived

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Gerch had in store as late as

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Duff Cooper makes them wait

by GEORGE MALCOLM THOMSON

OPERATION HEART BREAK. By Duff Cooper. A miserable war and dies of Rupert Hart-Davis. 8s. pneumonic right on the eve of the North African campaign. Gd. 166 pages.

NO obituary of Duff Cooper's story would be complete if it failed to mention that the narrative turns upon a single idea of distinguished irony.

Whether the idea is original or is based upon some incident of the war is of no relevance whatever. Duff Cooper is entitled to the praise, either for invention or discovery. His misfortune is that he has stumbled upon an almost perfect theme for a short story, and has stretched it into a short novel.

It is the story of a young man who cannot find a war to fight in. In this world! In this generation!

The question at once arises. Is Willie Murant a genuine case of arrested mental development? Does Willie really want to fight? Think!

Willie, orphan of a military family, misses World War I by a matter of days. Through an interlocking of accident and malice, the gates of World War II are likewise slammed in his face.

But during the period 1918-1939 there was not a minute but Willie in one part of the globe or another could have had his bellyful of the war. Is there any sign that he has to be restrained by his friends from rushing into battle in the Gran Chaco, the Rift, China, Abyssinia?

So, while it is necessary to accept Duff Cooper's premise that Willie is a monument of warlike frustration as well as rather colourless character, there is a lingering suspicion that he may simply have been an exceptionally cunning draft-dodger.



Duff Cooper.

political police, informers and other socially worthy elements.

And whereas, in monarchist times, the entire Muranian economy seems to have been devoted to digging out sapphires and emeralds for the royal jewel box, there is now ample employment in the uranium mines, especially other idioms.

Send your nine and sixpence to the Society for Peace and Friendship with Soviet Murania.

RETURN FROM UTOPIA. By Richard Law. Faber. 12s. 6d. 206 pages.

PRODUCT of mood or thoughtful disillusionment, this book is both an index and a contribution to modern political feeling. It states, with scrupulous moderation the case against Utopia—that is, against the belief that man must dwell within the framework of the State, and that his happiness consists in making that framework comfortable and efficient.

Whether embodied in the "monolithic" structure of the Totalitarian State or the more beguiling aspect of the Welfare State, the false ideal must be rejected since its goal is not the creation of happiness but the destruction of freedom.

"Utopia," says Law, "spells the doom of twentieth century man." His escape from this doom depends on his ability to restore his relationship with God. In the end, therefore, Law's solution is not political but religious. This may, indeed, be the book's most significant feature.

SIR DUFF COOPER. 60, was educated at Eton and Oxford; married with one son, was knighted in 1935; became a Lord of the Admiralty, some years later, resigning

as a protest against Munich, was first post-war Ambassador to France.

BRITISH friends of the People's Democracy of Murania will resent this attempt in the guise of fiction to rehabilitate the reactionary monarchist clique, now skulking in France from the People's wrath:

They will not be deceived by this sugary propagandist pretence that the notorious libertine, ex-King Nikki, was banished because he espoused the cause of peasants and factory workers against the landlords.

The truth (which leaks out even in these pages) is that Nikki, a typical Fascist, sailed away five million roubles to foreign banks (Wall Street?) and thought of little else but wearing fancy uniforms and making love to fancy women.

Lovel in Murania, under the old regime, there was too much love and too little politics. How different things are now. Since the liberation, love is reserved for shock workers,

PEOPLE ESCAPE MAN STARTS A WRANGLE

by JON HOPE

• IS it wise to reveal to the world secrets about techniques evolved during the war to help Servicemen escape from enemy territory?

I find ex-Servicemen divided over the question. So the news that a book called "Ways of Escape" is to be published in April will start a lot of discussion. It will be a description (with diagrams, photographs) of the ingenious devices—such as compasses in buttons, hockeys in shoe-laces, lethal fountain pens—that were produced for the benefit of prospective escapees.

Author is Clayton Hutton. He was chief ideas man in the Intelligence department responsible for the escape aids.

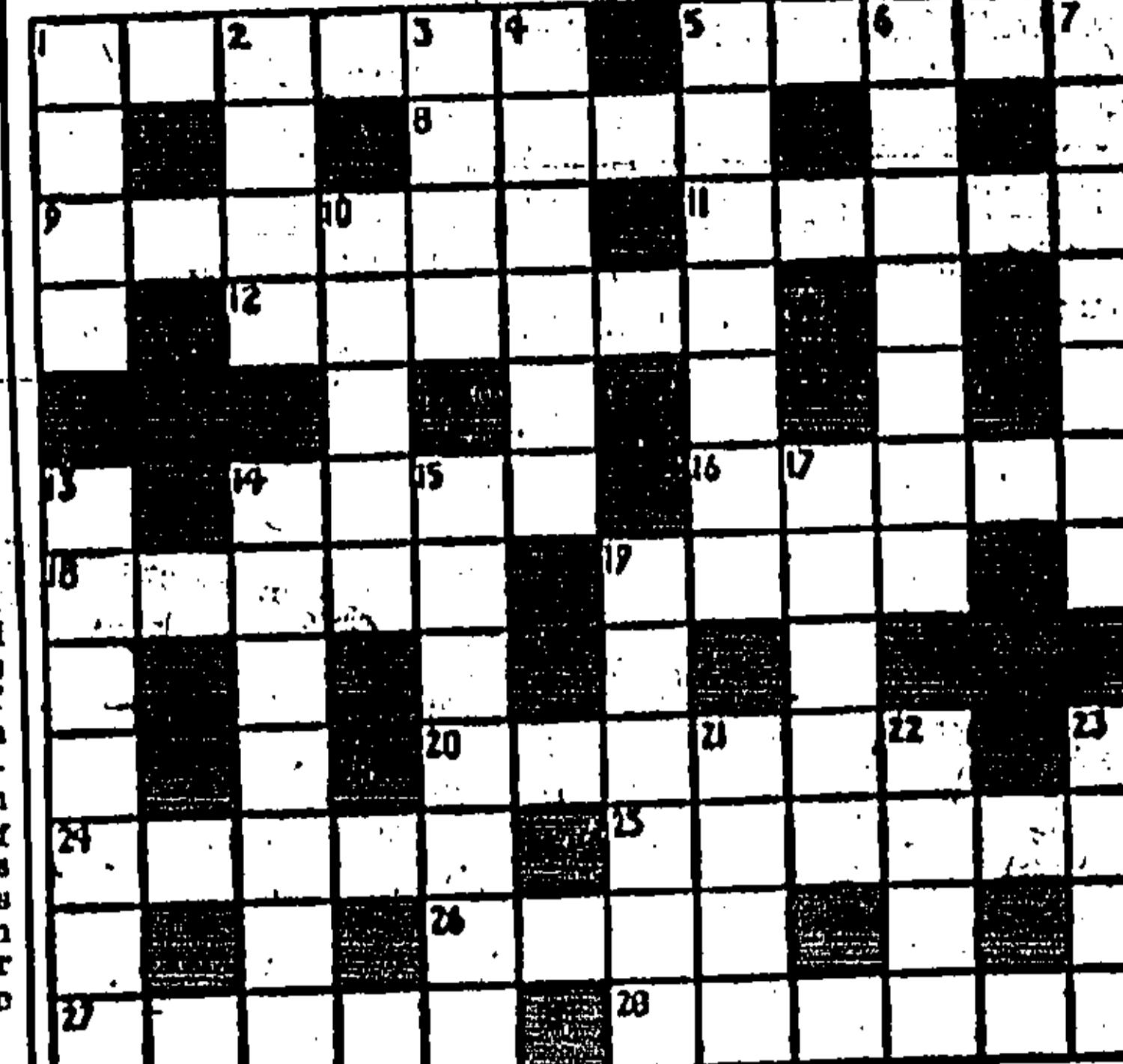
Just now Mr Hutton is lecturing in America.

• Readers have been asking me whether the famous Bernard Shaw—Mrs Patrick Campbell letters will now be released for publication. Answer is—No.

When Shaw's correspondence with Ellen Terry had an enormous success in 1931, there was a move to have his letters to Mrs Campbell printed. But Shaw's attitude was: "Time enough 50 years after my death when copyright expires." After Mrs Campbell's second marriage publication rights in her collection of letters were bought—but full publication was not allowed, but religious. This may, indeed, be the book's most significant feature.

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A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

DOWN

- 1 Outcome
- 2 Run before the wind
- 3 Fowl
- 4 Quake
- 5 Assemble
- 6 Tract of land
- 7 Hurried
- 8 Therefore
- 9 Direction taken
- 10 Try to equal
- 11 Lies in wait.
- 12 Drear
- 13 Property
- 14 Beautiful
- 15 Neck of land
- 16 Offence
- 17 Regulations
- 18 Defeats
- 19 Knock senseless
- 20 Expressed derision
- 21 River
- 22 Gluts
- 23 Stalk
- 24 Best part
- 25 Forsake
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The SNAPSHOT GUILD



It's always picture-taking weather indoors, so don't let your camera lie idle during winter months.

ABOUT PICTURES INDOORS

If you're one of those people who customarily put their cameras aside for the winter, you're missing a great deal of the fun photography has to offer. For no matter what the weather is outside, picture-taking weather inside the house is as near as the nearest light switch. Regardless of what type camera you own, you, too, can make indoor pictures.

Fifth, measure distance from lamp to subject. The light on your subject depends as much on the distance from lamp to subject as on the strength of the lamp. Unless you know this distance accurately, you can't be sure of proper exposure.

Sixth, don't let light fall directly on your lens or be reflected into it from mirrors, windows, or other shiny surfaces.

And seventh, measure camera-to-subject distance so you're assured of proper focus. Proper exposure, too, when you're working with flash lamps attached to the camera.

—John van Guilder.



"Now remember—the subjects you hear me ask them if they'd like a second helping, etc. is with the next course."

—London Express Service.

—THIS DREAM MEANS:
You have presumably been made to feel ridiculous during the previous day. Your prestige has been rudely and effectively shaken and you have not yet recovered from it. In the dream you are making yourself conspicuous in sacred and in high places where your ego is being completely and absolutely deflated.

The dream here is serving one of its common functions, i.e., working off emotions of the preceding day so that you are ready to start the next day with a comparatively new slate. This is a useful function of the dream; acting as a vacuum cleaner which clears up the emotional debris and tidies up—so far as that is possible—for a new start.



Right: A strapless creation filled by blonde Bunny Yeager at Miami Beach. Rich gold embroidery forms a half shell pattern at bust and hipline.



This lovely litter of black-faced Siamese kittens was entered by their owner in a cat show in London. Their expressions, as they watch the photographer, give no indications of their thoughts, but they were probably wondering when they could escape from fingers being poked at them by silly humans who gaped admiringly at the group.



Screen comic Oliver Hardy smiles broadly as he prepares to blow out the candles on his birthday cake at a movie studio in Paris, where wife, actress French star Suzy Delair, right, looks happily on with Hardy's partner, Stan Laurel, left.



Atop the 1,000-foot San Cristobal peak in Santiago, Chile, stands this 70-foot statue of the Virgin. The statue is a memento for Chileans praying for world peace.

—Courtesy of the Chilean Government.

CRUCIAL GAMES TOMORROW FOR FOUR SENIOR LOOP SOFTBALL OUTFITS

By "GRANDSTAND"

In order to ensure that the League Championships will be decided before the official closing of the Softball season at the end of April, the Management Committee have re-arranged the remaining League fixtures, according priority to games which have a bearing on the playoff qualification.

As a result of this, four Senior League teams, St Joseph's, South China, Pandas and the Canadians, face crucial games tomorrow, while the Braves and Jaguars, leading in the Blue and Gold sections, meet Overseas and St Teresa's respectively to complete their fixtures.

The Junior League, which is already in the playoff stage, will see Blackhawks against the Delawares this afternoon at 2.00 p.m., while the Dragons, who are enjoying a lead in the series with their victory over the Hawks last week, tangle with the Rexes at 3.30 p.m.

The reigning champion Wahtos will make their final appearance on the diamond this season when they wind up their schedule with a game against the Canuckettes at noon tomorrow.

With three hardluck losses against them, St Joseph's meet South China tomorrow at 11.00 a.m. in their last scheduled game, and one which they must win to have another shot at the playoffs, for South China's score for the season shows two defeats.

JINX ON THE SAINTS

The Saints seem to be jinxed this season, for all their setbacks were by the slim margin of one run in low-scoring games, any one of which could have been a victory but for a bum break at the critical stage.

On the other hand, ever since they signed on reinforcements

in the intend they have played brilliantly without a loss and indications are that they will run away with the decision tomorrow and thus tie with South China for the second position. Should this happen, another decisive game will be necessary.

South China, who have confounded pre-season critics with their impressive record, are by no means easy opponents, for their dragnet fielding has been streamlined by Coach P. K. Lau to near perfection. There is also an added sting to their hits this year, paced by free-swinging pitcher P. C. Wong.

Starting batteries for this climax will be Jimmy Criss and Dick Perry for the Saints, with P. C. Wong and S. C. Wong starting for the Carolines.

SURVIVAL STRUGGLE

The next Senior tussle of importance is the Canadians-Pandas tussle carded for 3.30 p.m. tomorrow in which these two outfitts lock horns in final struggle for survival, for with the Canadians only half a game ahead of the Pandas, who are finishing their fixtures with this

game, there is no other chance for the losers.

Judging from the Canucks' recent displays they do not seem to be a patch on the former title-holders despite the fact that the lineup is still the same,

while the Pandas, who have

always been a defensive team,

have been acquiring more skill

in the willow-wielding department.

The opposing pitchers will be Kassa Nazarin for the Maple Leafers, whose steady pitching, based on accuracy rather than speed, has seldom given us free passes to first the easy way, while Vincent Xavier will toe the rubber for the Pandas with canny Raymond Tsao behind the batter to call the pitches.

The Overseas, who have never yet met the Braves owing to postponements, will tangle with the League leaders at 2.00 p.m. tomorrow in a tilt which will not affect the League position of the Warriors, but for the Overseas lads, who are clutching on to a straw in a storm-tossed sea, a victory will mean renewed hope—a very slim one though, for they have to meet the Tribe again.

ASPIRANTS TO THE SELECT

The Braves have not appeared in prominent positions in the batting averages mainly because their swat artists have not appeared in a sufficient number of times at bat to satisfy the minimum requirement, and the ensuing weeks in which they will be active every Sunday will probably see several of them being included in the select .300 circle.

The other Senior loop tussle on the card is between the Jaguars and St Teresa's and, although the Jolting Jags are favoured to run away with the verdict, the Terriers with Joey Franco on the mound may be able to register an upset at their best form. The chances are, however, not very likely, but it will be a keenly contested game all the way through.

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CHARLTON v. SUNDERLAND



Bartram, the Charlton goalkeeper, flat in the mud, watches the ball fly past the post in the match against Sunderland. Sunderland centre-forward Ford can be seen behind Bartram, who didn't have too many worries as Charlton won the League match 3-0.

TO THE REV. ROBERT RICHARDS

Psychology Proved To Be As Important As Good Muscles

By CORNELIUS RYAN

New York.

According to Gil Dodds and Bob Richards, psychology has been as important as good muscles in this year's indoor track meets in the United States.

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Bailey To Have X-Ray

Melbourne, Feb. 23. Trevor Bailey, England's fast bowler, who injured an ankle when bowling against Australia in the fifth Test today, will have an X-ray tomorrow.

He hopes that after a rest tomorrow and Sunday he will be able to bowl in Australia's second innings.—Reuter.

Fifth Test Match

ENGLAND CHANCES BRIGHT

(By Frank Rostrom)

Melbourne, Feb. 24. The sickly Melbourne weather, at present both unpredictable and threatening, once again holds England's unexpectedly bright Test hopes in its grip despite an inspired day's work yesterday that produced results better than the most optimistic of us ever hoped.

Yesterday was undoubtedly the best day the English side have had since the opening day of the second Test at Christmastime on a similarly true wicket.

This time, fully exploiting the heavy atmosphere, which is similar to a humid August day at Lord's, a grimly purposeful Alec Bedser and an inspired Freddie Brown once again made wicket.

The wicket was slow yesterday and the outfield, bristling with damp, long grass, was extraordinarily heavy, making run-getting possibly about a quarter as laborious as the Australian batsmen made it look.

But never during the day did the ball behave with any eccentricity, so it was an outstanding performance to get eight wickets down for 205.

ENGLAND SHOULD WIN

The England XV will win on which I would have expected our Len Hutton to bat all day with some comfort, and I can't see any reason why, unless the weather keeps being mercilessly unfair, Compton, Washbrook, Simpson and Sheppard should not this time assist our lone wolf batsman to establish a match-winning lead to tide us against future deterioration of the pitch.

Lindsay Hassett confirmed my impression of the wicket last night when he told me the ball had at no stage come off the pitch at uneven heights or taken more than the legitimate spin or swing imparted by Brown and Bedser, though he defended Australia's and his own dreary battling by describing the pitch as "devilish to try and force runs off."

Freddie Brown said last night that no changes are contemplated in the England betting order. Obviously the fate of Miller and Harvey, who got themselves out yesterday by trying to force scoring shots before they had accustomed themselves to the pace of the wicket, will have to qualify Brown's policy of aggression.

Towel To Meet Spaniard

Manchester, Feb. 23. Luis Romero, of Spain, the European Bantamweight Boxing Champion, signed contracts here today to fight Vic Towel, of South Africa, the holder for the World Championship in Johannesburg in April.

George Dingley, the acting representative of the Golden City Sporting Club, Johannesburg, secured Romero's signature. The Spaniard was introduced from the ring at Belle Vue, Manchester, tonight before the Billy Thompson versus Pierre Mundine European Light-weight Championship contest.—Reuter.

Destructive Fire

Rio de Janeiro, Feb. 23. A fire started by the explosion of a gas stove in a restaurant destroyed a cinema, two restaurants and several offices in the centre of Rio de Janeiro today.

Firemen prevented the flames from reaching the offices of the evening newspaper, O Globo, and one of the city's largest workshops. A whole block of buildings in the Avenida Rio Branco was damaged.—Reuter.

First Round Of Rugger Internationals Today At Causeway Bay

By "HANLINCODE"

On the Navy Ground, at Causeway Bay, this afternoon, the first round of the local rugger international matches will be played off and it is expected that a good crowd will turn out to see them. This typical local and trophyless tournament has always aroused quite a lot of interest. One of the reasons being, perhaps, the very sporting manner in which the players put their whole hearts into the effort to uphold the honour of their native lands.

These games, which in the past have produced some very good rugger, are usually well worth seeing and, on looking over the teams, I am quite sure that this year's tilts should prove as good as former ones.

The first match, scheduled to kick off at 3.15 p.m. is between Scotland and The Internationals, and the second at 4.30 p.m. is between England and a team composed of the players from Ireland and Wales. This combination is wide open for plenty of wisecracks, but we will leave those for the spectators to make later on in the afternoon.

In the first match, Scotland, I think, will be the victors. The strongest point in this direction is that they are fielding three of the Club's three assistants by McNabb. This indeed should be a formidable quartet and with J. R. Henderson behind them, they can concentrate on attack.

Goldschmidt is at the base and if Campbell can only coordinate at fly half, then we should see some nice passing movements. With McFann hooking and Forsgate leading the pack, Scotland have a very formidable fifteen, although I do not expect them to have all their own way.

The Internationals have a useful pack and if Warne will only take instead of trying to grab his opponent's collar, then McFann's work may all be ruined. Bleakley and Sherrard-Smith can be relied upon to feed a hard-working set of three and Snow is a good man to have all back.

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On paper the England threes are the most spectacular and the England forwards the best balanced pack.

Padre Gover will referee the first game and Scotland will

London, Feb. 23. Four First Division Clubs from the North of England—Manchester United, Blackpool, Newcastle United and Sunderland—may reach the Football Association Cup semi-finals as a result of the sixth round ties to be played tomorrow.

All except Manchester United are at home and they will be expected to beat Birmingham City, the sole League II club remaining.

Newcastle, whose side has

cost a great deal of money in transfer fees, meet Bristol Rovers of League III, South, whose team is estimated to have

cost the club a mere £350.

Rovers have the chance to

emulate Millwall's 1937feat of

entering the semi-final, the only

Third Division club ever to

do so—but the powerful New-

castle attack is likely to prove

too much for them.

Sunderland, lucky enough to

draw at home every round,

face formidable opposition in

Wolverhampton Wanderers, Cup

winners in 1949. Blackpool,

with a sound defence and some

star names in their attack,

should account for the London

club Fulham.—Reuter.

Betting For The Lincolnshire

London, Feb. 23.

The French colt, Atrionte, was heavily supported in Tatton's ring at Lingfield Park Races today for the Lincolnshire Handicap on the strength

of a report that he had a good gallop at Chantilly.

Comte de Chambure's colt is now a firm second favourite at 10 to 1, and is expected to be knocked down to 8 to 1 at the next callow on Monday.

Who knows, there may be some shocks, one must remember that Causeway Bay is a small ground and anything can happen in games like these.

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Norman (Navy), Layton (Club),

Lawes (Army), Hudson (Club),

Carrel (Club) (Capt.), Bogg

(Army), Hense (Navy), Carter

(Army), Minto (Club), Gregson

(Army), Wynter (Army),

Wright-Nooth (Police), Reserves:

V. Russel (Police), Francis and

Hartland (Army).

Ireland and Wales: Clemo

Club, Reynolds (Army), Slovin

(Police), (Capt.), T. R. Miller

(Club), Gowar (Army), Mynott

(Army), Taljupi (Army), Mosley

(Club), A. N. Other, Major

(Army), Handcock (Club), A. N.

Other, Davin, Jones, J. Thomas

(Army). Reserves: Gibbons,

Shannon, Phillipson, Denier.

Internationals: Snow (RAF),

Hanklin (Navy), Blackburn

(Army), Franklin (Club),

Cowan (Army), Sherrard-

Smith (Police), Bleakley (Club),

Thornycroft (Navy), (Capt.),

Peyton-Bruhl (RAF), Moxon

(Police), Atkinson (Navy),

Roden (Army), Fawcett (Navy),

Winyard (Club), J. Warne

(Club). Reserves: MacDonald

(Club), MacDonald (Navy),

Miller (Navy).

Scotland: J. R. Henderson

(Club), McNabb (Army), D. M.

Henderson (Club), C. J. Campbell

(Club), Stewart (Club),

R. M. Campbell (Club),

Goldschmidt (Army), (Capt.),

Forsgate (Club), McFann (Club),

Moffat (Army), Farquharson

(Army).

The missing letters are deducible

from the order in which they must

appear once in each column.

It is immediately apparent that it is played O in the

first column, and the following

inferences enable the table to be

completed.

On February 17, the Scorpions

defeated the Wallabies; the Doves

shared the Panthers; the Drifters

beat the Wombats.

London Services Series.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



"Which would you rather do—break your New Year's resolution about not smoking, or keep it and give me a nervous breakdown?"

Meeting Of Giants At Murrayfield

London, Feb. 23.

Scotland and Ireland, the only two countries who can still win the Rugby Union triple crown, meet at Murrayfield tomorrow.

Ireland are unbeaten this season with victories over France and England but Scotland were beaten by France in Paris before they sprang a surprise by trouncing Wales early this month.

Scotland have kept their young team unchanged but Ireland have made three changes after their three-point win over England.

If Scotland can produce the form they showed against Wales they should win, for Ireland's victory over England was not convincing. It should be a great battle between the two backs.

Mathieu, who is injured, but Frat, the fast wing forward, has returned to the side.

England, who were beaten by both Wales and Ireland, have made only one change from the team that was beaten from the team that was beaten by a penalty goal in Dublin. Boobyear returns to the centre in place of Williams and this gives the backs more attacking power.

But England must rely on the forwards to keep the record intact. If they can subdue the heavy and fast French pack, who keep going right to the end, they may win. Certainly the muddy conditions favour England for the French forwards may get bogged down in the Twickenham mud.

The teams:—